

GERMANS CLAIM CAPTURE OF BAPAUME; BRITISH INFLICT GREAT LOSSES ON THE ENEMY; AMERICAN ENGINEERS IN THE CONFLICT

45,000 PRISONERS AND 600 CANNON FALL PREY TO HUNS SAYS STATEMENT AT BERLIN

British War Office Does Not Indicate Fall of Stronghold Saying Invaders Did Not Get Through Barrage; American Engineers in the Thick of the Fray and are Highly Praised; Paris Laughs at the Bombardment of the City by Gun 76 Miles Away; Shells Continue to Drop Into City; American Troops Reported Engaged on the British Front.

AMERICANS POUR SHELLS INTO THE HUN LINES

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, March 25.—The Germans are now standing to the north of the Somme in the middle of the former Somme battlefield, says today's official statement. Bapaume was captured in light fighting.

In the evening Nesle was taken by storm, the statement adds. British, American and French were thrown back through pathless wooded country.

Guiscard and Chauny were captured in the evening. Violent fighting developed for possession of Comblès and the height west of the town. The enemy was defeated, the statement adds.

More than 45,000 prisoners and more than 600 guns have been captured, the statement says.

Bapaume is on the northern part of the battlefield where the British line for the most part has been held. It is one of the larger towns on the fighting front from which a number of roads radiate. The official German statement of Sunday night said a gigantic struggle was taking place for the town. It is 13 miles below Arras.

LONDON, March 25.—The British this morning were counter-attacking between Nesle and Ham, the Reuters correspondent at British headquarters reports. The French also were in action.

North of Bapaume he states the Germans were attacking in considerable force at dawn, but did not get through the British barrage.

BRITISH ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, March 25.—American engineers have again been in the throes of a fierce conflict, in which they have done excellent work in transportation.

The presence of the American engineers on the battle front as long been known. They were praised highly for their gallantry in the battle of Cambrai last fall.

German cavalry in small numbers has been in action, but so far it has been merely to harass the British during their withdrawal.

BATTLE CONTINUES TODAY

WITH GREAT VIOLENCE

LONDON, March 25.—Fresh attacks on the British front by the Germans have developed northward and southward of Bapaume, a war office announcement. "British troops repulsed powerful attacks last night west of Bapaume."

"The British drove back to the east bank of the Somme bodies of troops which had crossed the river."

"The battle continued with great violence on the whole front. Powerful attacks delivered by the enemy yesterday afternoon and evening north of Bapaume were heavily repulsed. Only at one point did the German infantry reach our trenches where they were immediately thrown back."

"Elsewhere the attacks were stopped by rifles, machine gun and artillery fire in front of our positions and enemy troops were driven back to great loss."

"During the night and this morning hostilities have again developed in this neighborhood and also the south of Bapaume."

BRITISH CONTEST EVERY FOOT OF GROUND LOST

LONDON, March 25.—The British in their retreat defended every hill, ridge and fortification with the greatest stubbornness, messages from German war correspondents on the western front say, according to a Central news dispatch from Amsterdam.

British artillery splendidly sacrificed itself in covering the retreat, the battle breaking up only when the German storming troops arrived within a few hundred yards of the positions, a British gunners then fired their ammunition and retired.

ENEMY TROOPS GO TO ASSISTANCE OF BRITISH

PARIS, March 25.—The French on Sunday went to the assistance of the British and took over a sector of the front, the war office announces.

The region of Noyon and on the left bank of the Oise heavy fighting between the Germans is in progress. French troops began to intervene

front there was considerable artillery activity during the night. American guns heavily shelled the German front line positions. Enemy batteries replied, using many gas shells. Later photographs were taken from aeroplanes of the damage inflicted by the Americans.

DUTCH TO SPURN TENDER OF GRAIN BY ALLIES

LONDON, March 25.—The Dutch cabinet is said to have decided Sunday to send the allied powers a formal refusal of their offer of grain in return for Dutch ships, a dispatch from The Hague to the Daily Mail says.

SUBMARINE SENDS AMERICAN STEAMER DOWN

LONDON, March 25.—The admiralty announces that the American steamer Chattahoochee, 5,088 tons net, has been sunk by a submarine off the English coast. Her crew of 78 was landed safely. The master states that the submarine fired a number of torpedoes of which four struck the vessel.

NEW YORK, March 25.—The steamer Chattahoochee, topped off the English coast, was formerly the Hamburg-American liner Sachsen and was one of the vessels seized by the United States when this country entered the war.

DOUBLE DEDICATION AT PERCY FIRST OF KIND IN THE NATION

That is Belief of Veterans Who Honor Their Dead and the Boys Now Gone to the Front.

The double service flag dedication at the Methodist Protestant church at Percy last evening was a notable success. The first period of the program was in charge of the supply pastor, Rev. W. H. Gladden, the second under the direction of W. P. Clark, commander of William P. Kurtz Post of the G. A. R., Connellsville.

The exercises were opened by singing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." After prayer by the pastor "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the congregation during which the flags were unfurled, the Civil War flag by Commander Clark and Comrade George A. McCauley, the flag for the boys in the service by Mrs. James Darby and Mrs. Earl Ramage. Forty stars were on the veterans' flag, 35 of them in gold. Twenty-five blue stars adorned the younger men's flag. The assembly broke into applause when the flags were uncovered. William Holland, son of Robert Holland of Mount Braddock, sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

Boys and girls of the Sunday school sang "God Bless Our Men." With a few remarks by the pastor the first part of the program ended.

Opening the second part Comrade H. H. Yarnell spoke on "The Going and the Returning of the Soldiers of the Civil War." Comrade James J. Barnhart followed him, using for his subject "The Going and Returning of the Boys in This War." Comrade James G. Hicks closed with a solo entitled "The Soldier's Farewell."

Fifteen veterans from Connellsville were in attendance. They declare that the records of the G. A. R. contain no account of a similar service and they believe the Percy Methodist Protestant church is the first and only one in the country that has similarly honored its men.

PRINCE HENRY KILLED

Head of Younger Branch of House of Reuff Dies on West Front.

LONDON, March 25.—Prince Henry of Reuff, head of the younger branch of the Reuff family, has been killed in the fighting on the western front, according to a Central News dispatch quoting advices received from Berlin.

Prince Henry XXVII was the head of the younger branch of the House of Reuff. He was a general in the Prussian cavalry.

MANY CLOTHES RECEIVED

Larger Quantity Than Expected Is Turned in for Belgian Sufferers.

Larger quantities of clothes than were expected were received here for the Belgian war sufferers and Mrs. S. R. Goldsmith and her committee are busy today sorting and preparing the clothes for packing. Many clothes are being turned in today which in the past, the weight of the garments turned in has not been taken yet but there is much more than was expected.

Fair Is Transferred.

B. C. Fair, superintendent for the West Penn Power company at Scotts-ville, has been transferred to Letrobo.

SPLINTER FROM SHELL OF LONG RANGE GERMAN GUN WOUNDS AMERICAN.

PARIS, March 25.—An American corporal of marines was struck in the chest by a splinter from one of the first shells which fell during Saturday's bombardment of Paris by the Germans.

He was wounded seriously but his life probably was saved by the deflection of the splinter by a cigarette case. So far as has been reported he is the only American victim of the bombardment.

The Matin says one of the shells fired in the direction of Paris yesterday struck a church in the suburbs. Several persons who were attending a Palm Sunday service were killed.

NEXT DRAFT QUOTA LEAVES AFTERNOON OF THURSDAY, APRIL 4

Special Train Scheduled to Pull Out From Baltimore & Ohio Station at 1:30 O'clock.

The next increment of draftees from districts Nos. 2 and 5 will go to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., on Thursday, April 4, in a special train which will leave the Baltimore & Ohio station at 1:30 P. M. The quota is made up of 52 men from district 2, and 40 men from district 5.

STAR JUCTION DRAFTEE

Among Boys in France Thomas Hughes, one of the draftees leaving for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., early in September, has arrived safely in France, according to a post card received on last Thursday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hughes of Star Junction.

JOE BUTTERMORE IN ORDINANCE DEPARTMENT

Joseph Buttermore, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Buttermore of East Crawford avenue, has enlisted in the ordinance department and is awaiting orders to leave for active duty.

ARTHUR GRAHAM IS MADE CORPORAL

Private Arthur Graham of the 305th ammunition train at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., has been promoted to corporal. Corporal Graham left with the draftees in September. He likes (Continued on Page Two.)

THROUGH FARE SYSTEM WILL BE INAUGURATED ON WEST PENN LINES

Connellsville Will Be The Central Point in New Fare Collecting Method.

Beginning some time this week, probably about Wednesday, the West Penn Railways Company will inaugurate the through fare system on its whole system.

Every car will not be equipped with the through fare registers immediately but slowly the new system will be put into use until it is used on all lines excepting where there is a five cent fare limit.

Connellsville will be made the central point on the system, no fares will be collected beyond this place from either end of the lines.

Persons coming from Uniontown going through to Greensburg will pay as far as Connellsville and then the second fare will be collected from there to Greensburg. The same system will be used on cars running from Greensburg to Uniontown. In all instances fares will be collected as far as this city and then a second collection made for the remainder of the distance. The registers that will be placed in the cars will record a fare from five cents to 35 cents.

The old system will be retained on cars running within a five cent fare limit.

Heretofore it has been necessary for a conductor to make four collections between here and Uniontown. In collecting the war tax he has had to question passengers as to the distance they are going. Under the new system he will go through the car only once, and it will lessen the difficulty in picking out those who are traveling such a distance that war tax has to be paid.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1918	1917
Maximum	60	66
Minimum	34	26
Mean	47	46

The Young river fell during the night from 2.50 feet to 2.45 feet.

NOT ENOUGH SEED CORN IN FAYETTE FOR THE PLANTING

Tests Prove Stock on Hand Lacks the Necessary Fertility.

FARM BUREAU TO RESCUE

Says Supply Which Will Be Sold to Farmers at Cost, But Is Not Adapted to the Mountain Sections; Farmers There Must Continue Tests.

The investigations and tests made by Farm Agent Dougherty having established the fact that there is not a sufficient quantity of seed corn in the county having guarantee qualities that will insure a "stand" from the first planting, the executive committee of the Farm Bureau has made arrangements to secure a supply of the best seed obtainable, which will be sold to the farmers at cost.

A month or more ago Farm Agent Dougherty directed the attention of the farmers, through The Courier, to the necessity of making tests of their corn in order to ascertain its fertility, pointing out that without such precautions being taken, it would be unwise to plant corn selected indiscriminately from cribs, or trusting to its appearance as a guarantee that it would grow if planted. Farmers throughout the county acted upon Mr. Dougherty's suggestions and numerous tests have been made. The results of these tests show conclusively that comparatively little corn was safely brought to maturity before the heavy frosts of last fall, hence the bulk of the supply farmers have on hand runs so low on test that it will be decidedly unsafe to trust securing a crop by using home grown seed.

To supply the need a canvas was made of the state, in sections having about the same seasonal conditions as Fayette county, with a view to securing a supply of seed. A quantity was finally located in York county which it is believed will fill the requirements here. It is not the same quality of corn Fayette farmers have been accustomed to raising, lacking the depth of grain and yield per acre, which are qualities of corn requiring a long growing season, but it is a good grade of yellow dent corn that will come to maturity in a season having about the average length of the past two seasons in this county.

The first lot of this corn has already been ordered and it is expected to arrive and be ready for distribution during the week of April 1st.

ORDERS SIGNS DOWN

C. S. District Attorney Bans Posters Banning War Talks.

Orders were received by Mayor John Duggan this morning by telephone from the office of United States District Attorney Hughes to have all signs prohibiting war talk, which had been hung in saloons, pool rooms, and different other places in the city, taken down immediately. The call was sent to the council chambers about 8:45 o'clock this morning.

Mayor Duggan was at once notified and in turn he ordered the police to cover the city and see that all signs were removed. The orders of the district attorney were to arrest persons refusing to take the signs down and then notify him. There were no objections anywhere however and about 20 signs were removed by Lieutenant Thomas McDonald and Patrolman P. M. Ruhl.

BANE BUYS HOME

Second National Bank Bookkeeper Locates in Patterson Avenue.

C. O. Bane, bookkeeper at the Second National bank, has purchased the G. C. Warwick property in East Patterson avenue and will move there during the week from his present residence in East Murphy avenue.

The house is a modern frame structure of six rooms and was formerly occupied by A. B. Morton. The Mortons have removed to the old Morton homestead in South Pittsburg street.

BEST MINSTREL YET.

That is the indication regarding the Annual Elks' Show April 15 and 16.

Preparations are going along nicely for the annual Elks' minstrel show at the Soloson theatre April 15 and 16. The soloists have all been secured and the circle is filled.

The cost is a week ahead of former years in its rehearsals. Everything pertaining to the show is in good shape.

Is Assistant Scoutmaster.

Lyle Buttermore has been accepted as assistant scoutmaster for Troop No. 5. He will take up his work in scout lines immediately and will also instruct the boys in first aid.

BOTH CIRCUMSTANTIAL AND DIRECT EVIDENCE TO BE OFFERED IN LINDLEY CASE

USE OF KIPLING'S POEM REFLECTING UPON POPE BENEDICT AN OVERSIGHT

Was Not Submitted to National Red Cross Officers Prior to Publication; Manager Gibson Apologizes.

In the February issue of the Red Cross Magazine there appeared a poem by Rudyard Kipling which contained an unkind and objectionable reference to Pope Benedict. The use of it to national headquarters of the American Red Cross, H. D. Gibson, general manager, has sent a telegram to the officers in charge of the several divisions throughout the United States, directing them to call upon the leading Catholic prelates in their districts and bring to their attention the following telegram of apology and explanation concerning the offensive publication:

"In the February issue of the Red Cross Magazine there appeared a poem by Rudyard Kipling. In that poem there is an unfortunate reference to the head of the Catholic church. This poem was inserted in the magazine at the last minute by the editors without having been submitted to Washington. It was regarded purely as a contribution by Kipling, and the editors did not sense the reflection on the Catholic church which it contained. It is the matter of greatest concern to the War Council of the American Red Cross that this should have happened, and they regard it as a serious error.

"While the American Red Cross is non-sectarian and every one knows the splendid help and cooperation it has had from Catholics everywhere, both in contributions and in active service in its official ranks, and in view of this spirit it is hoped Catholics will everywhere understand that the appearance of this poem was the result of oversight and error.

"Will you immediately communicate this message to all Red Cross chapters in your division with the suggestion that they place it conspicuously with their chapter rooms, and will you, in addition, call upon the leading Catholic prelate in your city, showing him the message, and explaining that the next issue of the Red Cross Magazine will contain an editorial of sincere regret for the error that has been made."

MOTHER WANTS SON

Tennessee Woman Has Not Heard From Him; Once in Hospital Here.

The police here have received a letter asking them to try and locate Charlie McCauley who was confined to the Cottage State hospital here recently. The letter says he has not been heard from and although letters have been written to him they have not been answered or returned.

The letter is written by Mrs. Julius Cohen of 1015 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh. She says that McCauley's mother is located in Chattanooga, Tenn., and "is going insane." The police will attempt to locate him.

BAPTIST FUND \$345

Goal in Every Member Canvass of Sunday Set at \$500.

An every member canvass of the congregation was made yesterday by the men of the First Baptist church for contribution to the "Extra Million Dollar Fund," that the Baptists of the country are raising for religious work among the soldiers and for other denominational purposes.

The canvass was successful, nearly everyone asked giving something. Some reports are not in yet. From those who have reported \$344.85 has been received. It is hoped that the full amount will be at least \$500.

Struck by Automobile.

Adam Snyder, 19 years old, of Leisnering No. 3, while riding on a bicycle yesterday afternoon on the Leisnering road, was struck by an automobile, suffering injuries to the head and leg. He was removed to the Cottage State hospital where it was stated that the young man's injuries were not serious.

Ribs Fractured.

John Rathwell, a Baltimore & Ohio laborer, was struck by a train, suffering fractured ribs. He was admitted to the Cottage State hospital for treatment of his injuries. Mrs. David Halfhill was admitted to the hospital yesterday, to undergo an operation.

Foreman Scolded.

John McDermott, a foreman in the railroad shops at Havre, Mont., who was badly scolded about six weeks ago, while off duty, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDermott of Patterson avenue. He will leave for Havre on Wednesday.

First Degree Verdict To Be the Aim of the Commonwealth

EVIDENCE IS OUTLINED

Facts Developed at Inquest Presented by Assistant Counsel.

TWO WITNESSES EXAMINED

City Engineer Foust Submits Blueprint Showing Location of Room Where Tragedy Was Enacted; Coroner Baum Describes Cause of Death.

Both circumstantial and direct evidence will be presented in the trial of Frank M. Lindley for the murder of Frank A. Burke here the night of last December 19, according to the outline of the case at the beginning of the taking of testimony in Uniontown this morning by Assistant District Attorney H. George May who said the Commonwealth will attempt to establish a case of first degree.

Mr. May presented the facts brought out at the inquest, including the alleged fact that Lindley, Burke and the elevator operator were the only persons in the Second National bank building at the time and that Lindley walked down the stairs instead of taking the elevator as was his custom, of the finding of bloodstains on the wall and at various places between the eighth and first floors and of the evidence of the murder as discovered the next morning when the door of the offices of the Delco Lumber company, Burke's company, were opened by his associate A. L. Schweitzer.

The first witness called was City Engineer S. M. Foust, who submitted blueprints showing the position of the rooms, the tables, chairs, etc., and the location of the elevator and stairway.

For a half hour Mr. Foust was subjected to examination. Each juror was provided with a blueprint and Mr. Foust explained it in detail.

Following the engineer Coroner S. H. Baum was called. The jurist, he said, entered the left eye and went through the head striking the wall and dropping to the floor where it was found. Death was pronounced instantaneous.

Attorney E. C. Highbee is examining the witnesses for the Commonwealth and Attorney W. C. McKean is conducting the cross examination.

ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY

Steve Miller Is Held on Charge Made By Former Wife.

Steve Miller of Star Junction was given a hearing before Alderman Fred Munk Saturday night on a charge of bigamy and is being held today until he can produce papers to show that he got a divorce from his wife, Mary Miller. He remarried in Indiana in October. His first wife is making the prosecution.

Miller left his wife in June last year and claims she was notified of the divorce which she denies.

SOCKS NOW THE NEED

Women Asked to Drop Helms for Weeks and Knit Footwear.

A plea to the women of Connellsville knitting for the Charleston Committee of the Navy League to lay aside helmets for a few weeks and knit socks has been received by Mrs. J. McVie Gray, the chairman, from a national headquarters. The committee is planning to make a large shipment of socks on April 10.

Tomorrow is the day set for all comfort outfits to be sent to headquarters in the Title & Trust building for the shipment to be made the next day. All women having articles completed are asked to turn them in at once.

SUBSCRIPTIONS LIGHT

At End of Saturday's Canvass the Firemen Secure Less Than \$200.

After canvassing the city Saturday for funds to cover expenses of the convention trip this year, instead of holding a carnival, the committee of West Side Volunteer Firemen had taken in just \$188.65.

The ministerial association held a meeting this afternoon to consider the action of the firemen and the carnival proposition.

Given Service Flag.

The Fifth Christ class of the First Presbyterian church of Dawson, presented a service flag to the church at the regular services yesterday morning.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Passion Week will be observed this week by several of the churches with appropriate services. At the immaculate Conception church there will be a procession of the children with mass at 8 o'clock on Holy Thursday and on Good Friday, there will be a procession, adoration of the cross all day and in the evening. On Holy Saturday mass will be celebrated at 8 a. m.

Services will be held each evening during the week at the Trinity Lutheran church with preparatory services on Wednesday night and administration of the Holy Communion on Thursday and Friday nights. On Thursday night the font will be open for the Baptism of children. On Sunday morning the confirmation class of 33 members will be confirmed.

The program for the week's services at the First Baptist church beginning each evening at 7:30 o'clock is as follows: This evening, music by the choir under the direction of Prof. E. W. Haviland; subject of sermon by the pastor, Rev. Wilbur Nelson, "Christ, Challenge to His Church"; Tuesday evening, sermon subject, "Democracy Made Safe for the World"; Wednesday evening, special missionary program, entitled "The Cross in Congo Land," to be presented by the Young Ladies' Mission Guild; Thursday evening, sermon subject, "Faith in Troubled Times"; Friday, sermon topic, "The Life of Sacrifice."

The program for the Dawson services was as follows: This evening, sermon by Rev. H. A. Baum of the Cochran Memorial Methodist church; Tuesday evening, sermon by Rev. W. B. Purnell of the First Presbyterian church; Wednesday evening sermon by Rev. G. M. Riley of the Baptist church; Thursday evening sermon by Rev. W. B. Purnell; Friday evening, sermon by Rev. Riley; Saturday evening, sermon by Rev. Baum.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene T. Norton will entertain the South Side Euchre Club Thursday night at their home "Windymere."

The Women's Work society of the First Presbyterian church of Dawson will meet Thursday afternoon at the manse with Mrs. W. B. Purnell hostess.

The Women's Mission circle of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church chapel. All women of the congregation are invited.

The G. I. A. Unit of the Charleston Comforts Branch of the Navy League will meet Thursday night at the home of Mrs. F. T. Robinson in South Pittsburgh street to knit for the sailors.

Members of the Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will meet at Odd Fellows hall Wednesday afternoon at 7 o'clock and from there go in a body to the Red Cross headquarters where they will spend the afternoon sewing for the soldiers.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Isabella, which was to have been held tomorrow night in the Parochial school auditorium has been postponed to Tuesday evening, April 2.

The Silver Thimble club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. H. L. Kreppe at her home in Patterson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson will entertain the LXII club Thursday evening at their home on West Green street.

Special Easter services, with prayers and communion at the morning service will be observed next Sunday at the First Baptist church. At both services the choir will render special music.

The weekly meeting of the Business Women's Christian association will be held Thursday night in Odd Fellows temple, South Pittsburgh street.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Circle No. 100 to the Grand Army of the Republic will be held Thursday afternoon in Odd Fellows hall.

The L. C. B. A. will meet Wednesday night in the Parochial school auditorium.

The Busy Twelve club will be entertained Friday night by Mrs. Frank Zisch at her home in Acton street.

The Kant and Wm. Unit of the Charleston Comforts Branch of the Navy League will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. W. R. Smith in Eighth street, Greenwood.

A dinner was given yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McDermott in Washington avenue in honor of their son, John, of Havre, Mont., and grandson, Donald, of East Pittsburgh, who will leave for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., April 1. Covers for sixteen were laid. Misses Dorothy and Catherine Condon of East Pittsburgh were out of town guests.

Services preparatory to communion services on Easter Sunday will be held Thursday and Friday nights in the First Presbyterian church. The Joseph McConnell Bible class will

FASHIONABLE CHIP STRAW AND COLLAR OF ORGANDIE



Very fashionable spring hat of chip straw with ribbon ornament. The dainty embroidered organdie collar edged with val lace lends a fitting spring touch.

Meet tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ward in Green street. The Ladies' Aid society will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church chapel. A good attendance is desired as the election of officers will take place. The King's Daughters will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. F. Hirst in Blackstone avenue. A meeting of the session of the church will be held Wednesday evening after the regular prayer service and after the special services on Thursday and Friday nights to receive those who wish to unite with the church.

The business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. James McGilgus on North Sixth street, West Side.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Walter W. Harris and son, Walter William, Jr., who have been located at Ann Arbor, Mich., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Straub of the South Side. Mr. Harris who is a law student at the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, on completing his course in June, accompanied by Mrs. Harris and baby will go to Scranton where he will enter the legal department of the Lackawanna Railroad company.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shoe Co., Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shuley and son, Dr. J. L. Shuley of Greensburg, who visited friends here, motored home yesterday. They were accompanied by Miss Katharine Burns, who spent the day at the Shuley home.

See Charlie Chaplin and Patsy Arbuckle at the Arcade today and tomorrow. Adv-25-31

Miss Irene Ford and Miss Elizabeth Miller were guests of friends in Uniontown over Sunday.

Have you seen Down's Shoe Store's new display of women's Oxfords and pumps? They are right up to the minute. Adv-23-31

Mr. and Mrs. George Coughenour, Charles Coughenour and Mrs. Elizabeth Board of Uniontown attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. George Sellers on Saturday afternoon.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans, Estate. Adv.

Mrs. W. O. Sembover and children have returned to their home at California, Pa., after spending the week-end with relatives here.

You need that new suit more than I need the few dollars I may make on it. Order now! Dave Cohen, Tailor.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett and children of Keister were guests at the home of Mrs. Bennett's father, S. F. Penn, of Eighth street, Greenwood, yesterday.

The new tin Oxfords and the new dull Oxfords Down's Shoe Store is showing is the season's latest in footwear for women. See their display at once. Adv-23-31

Richard Robson and William Hannon of Pittsburgh spent yesterday with the former's parents and the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Robson of Eighth street, Greenwood.

Mrs. A. A. Pope and son Frank of Pittsburgh, motored to Connellsville to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Holland of East Patterson avenue. Yesterday Mrs. Pope and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Collier and son Thomas and Mrs. J. F. Holland drove to Uniontown and visited Mr. Collier's parents. This morning Mrs. Pope and son were accompanied home by Mrs. Collier and son.

C. B. McCormick and J. C. McCormick were visiting relatives in Lower Tyrone township yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Osborne of Pottsville, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blittner of South Arch street.

Misses Lillian Battelfield and Mabel Skyles were callers in Uniontown Saturday.

A party composed of Misses Hazel Nye and Ella Smith, Clyde Sparks and Ernest Whipple motored to Johnstown yesterday in the latter's car.

Mrs. A. H. Shaffer and son, Harry, of Highland avenue, were visiting relatives in Scottsdale yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lessig of Uniontown were visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lessig of East Crawford avenue over Sunday.

Earl Shank was in Cumberland over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Butters and daughter, Jane, have returned home

from a trip to St. Petersburg, Fla. Miss Jean Patterson has returned home after spending a few days in Pittsburg.

Mrs. W. W. Kern has returned home from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Uniontown.

Miss Josephine Newcomer of Dawson was the guest of her sister, Miss Hazel Newcomer yesterday.

Miss Olive Lar of Pittsburg is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Fred Alguire is visiting her husband, who is employed in Pittsburg.

Dr. G. W. Newcomer has returned home from his annual trip to St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mrs. Earl Maxwell of Hazlewood has returned from a visit with her aunt, Misses Ella and Lydia McManis of Cedar avenue.

Mrs. M. Goldberg and children have returned to their home in Monessen after visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Goodman at the Young House.

Homer A. Ray of Canton, Ohio, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Smith of North Pittsburg street.

The Grim Reaper

JAMES DICK.

Short funeral services for James Dick were held Saturday evening at 8 o'clock from the home of his son-in-law, Dr. J. French Kerr in East Fairview avenue, with Dr. W. L. Wilson of the Theological Seminary of the United Presbyterian church, North Side, Pittsburg, officiating. The body was taken to New Florence, Pa., with funeral Director Charles C. Mitchell in charge, and removed to the Bethel United Presbyterian church where services were held about 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon with Rev. McCrory the pastor officiating. There were about 22 persons in the funeral party from Connellsville. Lieutenant Paul G. Dick, a son of the deceased, attended the funeral and returned immediately afterward to Cleveland, O., where he is in training with the army medical division.

LEONARD KECK, SR., founder of the L. Keck company of Greensburg, died yesterday morning at his home in Greensburg following a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Keck was stricken on his way to the postoffice on last Wednesday and was removed to his home in an unconscious condition from which he never rallied. The deceased was a brother of the late John Keck of Connellsville and an uncle of Mrs. Charles Stonifer, Mrs. J. B. Marietta and Misses Rose and Pearl Keck of this city.

MARK J. MADIGAN, Mark J. Madigan, 50 years old, of Homestead, died Saturday in the South Side hospital, Pittsburg, of apoplexy. Mr. Madigan was known in Connellsville, having resided here at one time. He was born at Latrobe. His widow, two brothers and one sister survive.

SAMUEL CULP, Samuel Culp, 77 years old, is dead at the home of his son at Smithton, death resulting from complications of disease.

Here is "Pinched." A horse and buggy found on South Pittsburgh street by Patrolman Geiger is at Dull's livery stable waiting to be called for by the owner. The horse was taken to the stable at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. It had been standing in the street since 7 o'clock the night before.

Getting Along. J. A. Lyon, who underwent an operation last week in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg, is getting along as well as can be expected. Mr. Lyon has been in poor health for some time past.

Senior Girls Champions. The Senior girls team has been declared the champions of the high school. In a series of games last Thursday night the seniors defeated the Juniors 16-6, and the Sophomores won over the Freshies 15-8.

Home From Hospital. Mrs. H. L. Lenhart of Vine street, who underwent an operation a few weeks ago at the West Penn hospital, Pittsburg, returned home yesterday.

Condition Unchanged. Today at noon there was no change in the condition of Rev. C. E. Wagner, who is critically ill of pneumonia at his home in East Green street.

Undergoes Serious Operation. Mrs. H. J. Williams of North Sixth street, East Side is resting easily after undergoing a serious operation at a Johnstown hospital.

Chief Bowers Ill. Chief of Police W. B. Bowers is confined to his bed with an illness. He became ill Saturday and is unable to be about today.

Union Services. Union services were held last evening in the Methodist Episcopal church at Dunbar.

CHEST COLDS may mean weak lungs and need more thorough treatment than mere syrups, physics or stimulants.

SCOTT'S EMULSION corrects chest colds by giving strength to the blood and warmth to the body, while it is famous with physicians for relieving hard coughs and soothing the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes.

Patrolmen those who advertise.

NEXT DRAFTEE QUOTA LEAVES AFTERNOON OF THURSDAY, APRIL 4

Continued from Page One. his new work and is getting along splendidly. He expects to leave for overseas soon.

FIRST VISIT TO HIS HOME IN FIVE YEARS

Sergeant Floyd Grouh, of Company G, Fifty-third Infantry, stationed at Camp Forrest, Ga., has returned to camp at the end of a 15-day furlough, a part of which he spent with his sister, Mrs. P. G. Bradley, South Connellsville. Sergeant Grouh has been in the service five years. This was his first home in that time.

JOHN BONNER SENDS WORD HE'S OVER THERE

Anthony Bonner, former Dawson policeman, has received word of the safe arrival in France of his son, John. The young man made the trip on Secretary of War Baker's steamship, it is understood.

ARCHIE MCCORMICK SENDS WORD HIS NEAR FRONT

C. Roy Hetzel has received a field service card from Archie G. McCormick who is with the Fifteenth Engineers in France. The brief message carried by the card is: "I am quite well. I received your letter. Letter follows at first opportunity." The card would indicate that McCormick is in the field of action with the engineers. It was dated February 27.

CAMP GRANT OFFICER ON VISIT IN CITY

Lieutenant William O'Toole, son of Colonel and Mrs. J. O'Toole of Gary, Va., accompanied by his sister, Miss Julia O'Toole, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Clark in North Pittsburg street. Lieutenant O'Toole is stationed at Camp Grant, Ill.

CLAUDE MECKES IS WITH AVIATION SECTION

Corporal Claude E. Meckes of Connellsville, formerly of Company D, 110th Infantry, has been transferred to the aviation section of the Signal Corps and attached to the motor mechanics. The motor mechanics regiments are leaving for overseas service as fast as they can be organized, so Mr. Meckes is expected to realize his revenge on the Hun very soon. Mr. Meckes leaves his bride of only eight months. Mrs. Meckes was in Augusta with her husband during the Christmas holidays.

NILAND IS TRANSFERRED FROM SAN ANTONIO CAMP

Joseph Niland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Niland of Highland avenue, who enlisted recently in the motor mechanics regiment, has written home that he has left San Antonio, Texas, for some other assignment the location of which he is unable to say. He thinks he will be located somewhere in Virginia.

SERGEANT KING HOME ON TEN DAY FURLOUGH

Sergeant Manners King arrived home for a 10 day furlough from Camp Hancock Saturday. He is a member of Company D, and has served several years in the ranks of that organization.

FAMOUS SPENDTHRIFTS

Many Got the Unenviable Name of Being Famous Spendthrifts.

At a time when every good influence lends itself to the work of teaching thrift and economy there is a very discordant note in reading about a spendthrift. Edward W. Morrison of Chicago has just confessed that his great fortune exceeding six million dollars has melted away and that he now possesses only \$1137. He might have lived fairly well on his income of \$300,000.00; but now he has spent the income producing fortune, which is like killing the goose that laid the golden egg. Savings and checking accounts. The Citizens National Bank, 138 North Pittsburgh street, Connellsville, Adv.

Mothers

Should be that the whole family take at least 3 or 4 doses of a thorough purifying system cleaning medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter, accumulated in the system, driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get it and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel fine and be well and happy. Connellsville Drug Co., Adv.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation of the help and sympathy so kindly given us by our neighbors and friends during the illness and death of our daughter and sister. Especially do we wish to thank the ministers, members of the choir and those who sent the beautiful floral tributes. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hetrick and family. Adv.

Boy Missing From Home.

The police have been notified to be on the lookout here for Floyd Perry, 15 years old, of Evans Station, who left his home at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and had not returned up to 12 o'clock that night. He is thought to have come here where he may have taken a train to Cumberland. He is a son of W. F. Perry.

Son at Weir's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Weir of Star Junction are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son yesterday morning. The family is now composed of two boys and an equal number of girls. The new arrival is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weir of Johnstown avenue.

NOT ENOUGH SEED CORN IN FAYETTE FOR THE PLANTING

Continued from Page One. ing the first week in April. It was bought in the ear, the York county farmers who raised it being short of labor to shell it before shipment. Its cost delivered in Fayette county will be between \$4.50 and \$4.75 per bushel, shelled. Farmers desiring to secure a supply should promptly notify the Farm Bureau by letter or telephone of their requirements so that reservation can be made. The first lot will consist of 325 bushels. More will be ordered if required.

Some farmers have already ordered, or are contemplating ordering, corn from seed merchants in other states. Mr. Dougherty points out that this is not a safe proceeding. The corn, even if it should develop a high germination, may not be adapted to this section and would endanger the crop by failing to develop before frost comes. Again, few seed merchants guarantee fertility of seed corn, hence securing crop from it is more of a hit-or-miss proposition than a certainty, as when planting tested seed. Furthermore, it costs about \$10.00 per bushel, or more than twice the cost of the seed the Farm Bureau has arranged to provide.

Another situation revealed by the investigations of Mr. Dougherty is that no corn can be secured in the high altitude sections of the state such as would be suitable for planting in the mountain or short season sections of Fayette county, for which purpose the York county seed will not be adapted. Under the circumstances Mr. Dougherty says the only thing the farmers in the mountain townships can do is to continue tests of their supplies of corn on hand until they obtain sufficient to provide seed. Some fields of corn, and some corn in many fields, matured last fall before the first killing frost. This will have to serve as the source of this season's seed supply. The job of the farmer in the eastern townships will be to keep up his tests until he has found enough fertile corn to plant this season's crop.

WIDOW AIDS COUNSEL

In Selecting Jury in the Chandler-Huffman Murder Trial.

Twelve jurors were selected Saturday in Uniontown to pass upon the murder charges entered against Joseph F. Chandler following the finding of the mutilated body of John W. Huffman near Cheat Haven last Christmas eve.

The three older daughters of the defendant, his brother and other relatives were in court Saturday. Mary, the oldest child, sat at the counsel table alongside her father, Mrs. Huffman, widow of the slain man, sat at the table of the prosecution. During the examination of the witnesses she consulted frequently with counsel and assisted in selecting the jurors who are to decide the fate of the men accused of taking the life of her husband.

BETTER ONE NEXT YEAR.

Is Assurance Given Relative to High School Entertainment Course.

The high school entertainment course which closed Friday evening with a lecture by Chancellor George H. Bradford of Oklahoma left the organization with a fair sum as a nucleus for finding next year's course. Only once before did an entertainment course close with a balance. Principal Bela B. Smith of the high school is slated and promises a bigger course for next year. The closing number, the Bradford lecture was generally pronounced the best of all. There was but one drawback. The audience was not as large as at many of the other evenings.

Special Reception Monday Night. At Jacques, Martell hall, Kiferls with drums. Adv.-23-21.

DOCTOR URGED AN OPERATION

Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Was Cured.

Baltimore, Md.—"Nearly four years I suffered from organic troubles, nervousness and headaches and every month would have to say in bed most of the time. Treatments would relieve me for a time but my doctor was always urging me to have an operation. My sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before consenting to an operation. I took five bottles of it and it has completely cured me and my work is a pleasure. I tell all my friends who have any trouble of this kind what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—NELLIE B. BRITTINGHAM, 609 Calverton Rd., Baltimore, Md.

It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been restored to health by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after an operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

NOTICE TO MOTHERS

You can quickly heal baby's sore, chafed skin with

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which contains antiseptic, healing ingredients not found in any other nursery powder, also at the West and other drug stores.

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Stork Leaves Son. A son, the fourth child of the family, was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Patterson of Moyer.

Stork Leaves Twins. Twins, a boy and a girl, were born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Callaghan.

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CIVIL LIST CONTINUED.

All Cases for April in Uniontown Postponed to Later Date.

The entire list of civil cases set for trial during the month of April was postponed Saturday afternoon until a later date.

This action was taken by the court because of the unusual number of criminal cases for March.

Party at Pottsville.

Miss Loma Pigley entertained 18 of her friends at her home on Friday evening at Pottsville. A very enjoyable evening was spent with music and games. At a late hour a very delicious luncheon was served. The young ladies present were: Misses Ruth Keller of Pittsburg, Ruth Stewart, and Norma Keller of Scottsdale, Ora and Marie Detwiler, Elsie Baker, Clara Detwiler and Marion Figler. The gentlemen were Mr. Carlson, Mr. Hickey, Mr. Clark of Scottsdale, Mr. Walker of Mount Pleasant, Mr. Rideout of Pottsville, Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Alters, Mr. Snyder of Connellsville and Mr. Detwiler.

Mrs. Dora Kutch.

The funeral of Mrs. Dora Kutch, who died Saturday at her home in North Eleventh street, West Side, will be held tomorrow morning from St. John's Slavish church in the West Side with interment in St. John's cemetery.

Married at Cumberland.

Joshua L. Miller of Mill Run and Lillian Wilkinson of Banning and Wilbert Barford of McClellandtown and Laura C. Treacher of Masonstown were married in Cumberland Saturday.

Stork Leaves Son.

A son, the fourth child of the family, was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Patterson of Moyer.

Stork Leaves Twins.

Twins, a boy and a girl, were born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Callaghan.

Have You an Extra Pair of Glasses?

Everyone who wears glasses should have two pairs—not only for emergency use in the event that one pair becomes broken, but for the relief of an occasional change.

If you wear spectacles continually then change to spectacles and vice versa. You will be surprised at the relief you can get in this way. Bring in your glasses and let me make you an extra pair.

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NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

Elks Hold Farewell Reception for Boys Leaving for the Front.

FOUR ARE IN NAVAL SERVICE

Frank Horne, Baseball Player, Tells Audience He's Signed This Time With a Sure Pennant Winner; Liberal Response to Plea for Books.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTTSVILLE, March 25.—Frank Horne, Joe Caffery, Felix McGivern and Homer Miller, who left last night for the Baltimore & Ohio for Newport News to report for duty in the navy, were given a farewell at the Elks' home before leaving. Short patriotic talks were given by James Keegan, J. P. Owens, J. J. Van Horn of Company 3, 110th Regiment, Camp Hancock, home on a furlough, Thomas J. Hill, Raymond Major, home from Camp Hancock, Tom O'Donnell, home from Camp Hancock, and Meade Tannehill, home from Camp Hancock. Patriotic airs were sung by the boys.

Frank Horne is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Horne of Belmore avenue. His father is a Civil War veteran, having entered the war at the very beginning and serving until the close. Horne is a professional baseball player. He started with the Jacksonville team last year and at the time that team discontinued playing was transferred to Grand Rapids and completed the season with it. Horne was questioned concerning his contract for professional ball for this summer, and answered that he had signed up with Uncle Sam and would play in game with him, this and every other summer until the pennant is won for he is sure that he signed up with the pennant winners this time.

Am Cases Severe.
Yesterday afternoon an automobile on South Broadway back-fired and some persons turned in a fire alarm. The fire trucks quickly responded, but when they reached the scene of the fire there was nothing to fight. The automobile had been run into the garage.

To Donate Eggs.
Every child in the Methodist Sunday school is asked to bring one egg next Sunday to Sunday school. The eggs will be sent to the Methodist children's home at Hullton.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.
The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. W. Elcher on Tuesday evening. The subject for the evening will be "Americanization."

Miss Adeline Anderson.
Miss Adeline Gertrude Anderson, aged 25 years, daughter of Mrs. G. D. Anderson, died at her home here Friday night. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Hugh Chain.
The funeral services for Hugh Chain were held at the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Beard, on Saturday afternoon in charge of Rev. William Hamilton. Interment at Wesley chapel.

New Ambulance Here.
J. I. Murphy and son have received a new private ambulance equipped for emergency trips to hospitals. The ambulance is grey, is equipped with pump's chair and rubber flooring.

Jeannette Pays Visit.
Rev. Garance Leckemby, who has been conducting evangelistic services at Dunbar, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hocker over the week-end and preached at the Methodist Episcopal church here.

Other News.
Mrs. John Lyons left Saturday morning to visit friends at Letonia, Ohio.

Local Library. has started a campaign for books for the soldiers and sailors. McMillan's shoe store has been made the downtown station and a large number of books have been received at both the station and the library.

Arthur Byrne of Camp Hancock. Augusta, Ga., arrived home last evening on a 10-day furlough.

Edward Wardlaw, who is employed by the West Penn, has moved his family to Youngwood where he will be employed.

Miss Etta King and Mrs. Harry Eagle are visiting friends at Whitney. William D. Wardlaw, a student at Pittsburg, is home for the week-end. Mrs. Allan Blank of Youngwood is visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stauffer spent the week-end in Pittsburg.

Dunbar.

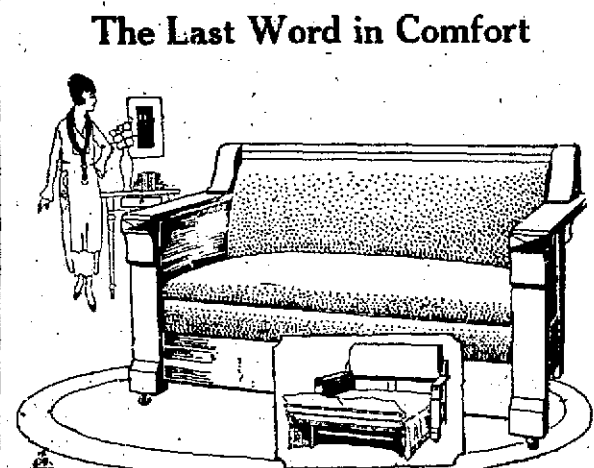
DUNBAR, March 22.—William R. Price, enlisted in the 53rd Engineering Corps for special railroad service. William will leave Wednesday evening for Camp Dix, New Jersey, and from there will go to France. He returned home Friday from Washington where he enlisted.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church was entertained at the home of Mrs. F. J. McFarland on Thursday. The Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Anna May on Connelville street. Mrs. Sarah Price visited in Connelville Friday evening.

Card of Thanks.

We and Mrs. Charles Cuneo and family desire to extend their thanks to their many friends who kindly assisted them in their bereavement, the death of their beloved son, Joseph Cuneo. They wish especially to express their warmest thanks to the many friends who attended the funeral, the ladies of the Ladies' Aid Society and all friends who expressed sympathy and offered prayers for the family.

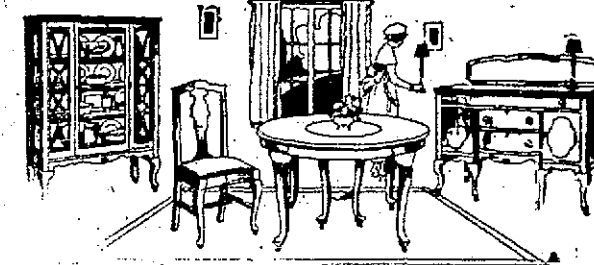
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Don't confuse this Davenport with others usually offered at a lower price. This is an exceptional value—made of highest grade materials throughout.

Frames are genuine quarter sawed oak, very highly polished. Fitted with sag-proof spring and is upholstered in the best grade of imitation leather which will give better wear than the present day leather. The spring is made of genuine Premier wire—making the seats soft and comfortable.



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The Buffet is 50 inches long, the China Closet 44 inches wide and the Extension Table measures 48 inches by 6 feet. Six genuine leather slip seat chairs complete the suite.

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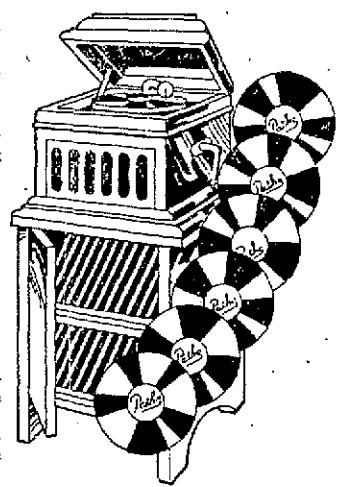
It's the world's greatest talking machine outfit because it is offered at a wonderfully low price and because it gives you all the music of the world.

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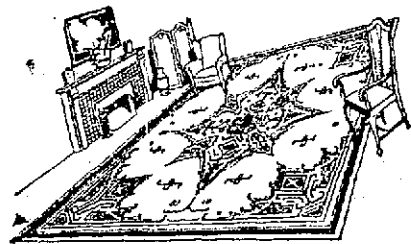
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We're now showing the very newest patterns of M. J. Whittall Rugs. As we closed out all our discontinued patterns, there's no possibility of paying this year's prices here for last year's Rugs.

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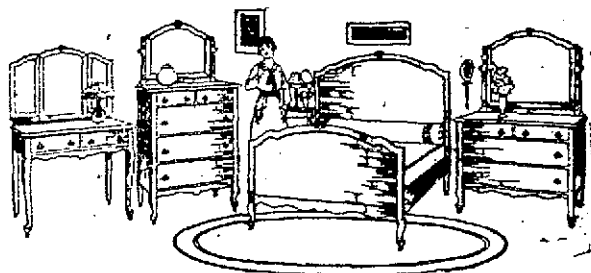
Wool Rugs or Carpets hold their color and retain their beauty. They can be cleaned and scoured as the colors are fast.

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Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, March 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colbert of Dawson were recent callers here.

Mrs. A. L. Ketter, Mrs. Anna Kinde, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, Mrs. Frank Newell and Miss Lorraine Ambrose were shoppers in Connellsville recently.

Mrs. G. B. Roberts, Mrs. J. B. Henderson, and Mrs. W. A. Cosgrove attended the sewing of the Red Cross organization at Connellsville on Thursday.

Miss Ella Roselle, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Collins were Connellsville callers on Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Reed is seriously ill at her home.

Ona French, W. D. Beatty, R. M. Shellenberger, W. A. Cosgrove were business callers in Connellsville yesterday.

W. B. Downs of Dunbar township, J. E. Cotton of Uniontown, T. Scott Dunn of Connellsville, J. S. Rittenhouse of Smock, and Allen Downs of East Liberty, attended a meeting of the Franklin Coko Co. at their rooms in the First National Bank here yesterday.

S. W. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunn and daughter of Bienna Vista, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Freed and Mrs. J. N. Freed of Dunbar township, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown of Franklin township, George Lytle and Robert McBurney of Dunbar township attended the Business Men-Farmers Banquet in Connellsville yesterday.

S. G. McBurney and A. A. Mitchell were Connellsville callers yesterday.

Miss Laura Gray, Miss Grace Jacobs, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hazlett, Paul Collins, Jess Sowers and Clyde Randolph were among the ones from here who attended the basketball game, between Dunbar township high school and Point Marion high school at Leisnering Friday evening.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 23.—The basketball game Friday evening resulted in a victory for the Verona girls. After the game a luncheon was served by the local team.

Mrs. Bert Bowers has returned to her home at Maontown after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson.

Charles Martin of Woodlawn was a caller in town Saturday.

Mrs. M. C. Thompson, who has been confined to her home with rheumatism, is improved.

A large audience was in attendance Friday evening to hear Samuel Small lecture in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. J. K. McFarrar was a Pittsburg caller Friday.

William Millward of Philadelphia is visiting his grandfather, D. B. Millward of town.

Patronize those who advertise.

HIGH SCHOOL IS WINNER IN GAME WITH GREENSBURG

Locals Easily Take Over Brown and White Team By Score of 38-26.

IN LEAD AT ALL TIMES

At Beginning of Second Half Visitors Look Dangerous But Effort on Part of Locals Quickly Increases Breach Between Scores; Juniors Win.

The Connellsville high school basketball team won the last home game of the season here Saturday night when the Greensburg high school was defeated for the second time this season, 38-26. The locals led at all times, although at the beginning of the second period there was a difference of only one point between the two scores when it stood 15-14.

Greensburg did not play the strong game put up in the previous contest. Although the locals were crippled by the absence of "Bill" Lyon, a fast floor man, they held up their end excellently. Struble, McConnell and Moore shared honors in scoring the field goals. Greensburg dropped some "teaches" through, although many of their tosses which seemed good rolled off the rim.

The game was the last that had been signed up for home fans and there is but one more left on the Connellsville schedule, that with Irwin at that place. If the weather does not get too warm another team may be signed up for the end of this week, but none has been booked yet.

The lineup:
Connellsville—Struble, forward; Painter, forward; Struble, forward; Shupe, center; McConnell, center; Brown, guard; Moore, guard; J. Brown, guard; Peoples, guard.

Field goals—McConnell 5; Struble 5; Painter 3; Shupe 3; Moore 2; Brown.

Goal goals—Struble 14 out of 21; Painter 4 out of 8; Shupe 3 out of 9. Substitutions—Robinson for Bufano; Thomas for J. Brown.

Referee—Smith.
In the preliminary game the Junior class team defeated the Sophomore team 21-19. The game was close throughout.

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Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, March 25.—N. R. Selby, wife and two daughters, were here Saturday on their return to their home in Selbyport, Md., from Baltimore where they had been several days.

The Lutheran Sunday school is preparing for an Easter entertainment next Sunday.

Mrs. William Reiber and daughter, Mrs. William Burnworth and little daughter have returned from a visit to Mrs. Reiber's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright at Cereal, Pa.

A. G. Brightner of Pittsburg visited his family here over Sunday.

Rev. H. C. Summers, formerly pastor of the Lutheran church here, but now of Cleveland, O., who had his household goods stored here for several months, moved them last week to Cleveland.

Mrs. H. M. Swallow went to Somerset Saturday to visit friends a few days.

Subscribe for The Daily Courier.
Mrs. Bruce Treutle of Connellsville was a recent visitor with friends here.

Mrs. O. L. Pratt has gone to her home in Clarksburg, W. Va., after being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. H. P. Meyers several days.

C. M. Slope of Connellsville was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner and two children have returned to their home in Connellsville after visiting Mrs. Wagner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reiber here several days.

Rev. H. G. Trimmer, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Harpennville, went to Normalville Saturday where he filled his regular appointment here yesterday.

Joseph Ream was a business visitor in Connellsville Saturday.

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Help Win the War!

Every boy and girl wants to buy War Saving Thrift Stamps and not beg for them. THE DAILY COURIER offers a means of getting them in a dignified way with little effort. Here is the plan whereby you can do your "bit" in the war and save money by investing a little of your time in War Saving Thrift Stamps:

The Courier will give a 25-cent stamp to any boy or girl who gets a new customer for The Courier for two months at 50 cents per month, paid in advance. It will give two stamps for every customer who will take The Courier for four months, paying \$2.00 in advance. It will give three stamps for a six-month subscription paying \$3.00 in advance. For every old customer who will pay four months in advance, The Courier will give one stamp.

No subscription will be taken for a longer period than six months and no old customer will be accepted for more than four months paid in advance.

War Saving Stamps are "Baby Bonds." They are the best investment to be found—better than banks. They enable you to put your money in Government securities paying four per cent, compounded quarterly. Back of them is the government of the United States, the strongest in the world. Here is the opportunity for the boys and girls to help win the war and also save for the future.

Call at The Courier office and get instructions and receipt book, or from any Courier Agent.

**YOU READ the
Other Fellow's Ad**
You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition; that it will bring business to your store. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is falling to you. Would it not be well to give the other fellow a chance?

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MONDAY EVENING, MAR. 25, 1918.

The Courier's Service Flag.
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McPetersen, Atlanta, Ga.
RALPH F. SLOBER,
Company 2, 8th Infantry,
U. S. A. N. A.
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herein.

OUR LESSON OF THE BIG DRIVE.

The Big Drive of the Germans has not accomplished that measure of success the Kaiser and his war-lords had so confidently expected. It has pushed back the British lines but it has not crushed the defensive nor left a clear way for the Hun to reach Paris or the Channel ports, as had been planned. It has created a grave but by no means hopeless situation for the Allies.

This attempted rupture, which the Germans are striving to accomplish through quick, over-powering blows, marks the high tide of German offensive. Into it they are throwing, with the desperation of despair, their last ounce of strength and resources in men and the engine of warfare. It is a repetition of their former tactics and is destined to eventually result in failure. After months of preparation and the mauling of millions of men released from the Russian, Balkan and Italian fronts, and the improvement of German arms, the Germans have driven their human wedge into the British defense as the result of an absolute disregard of losses in man-power in defeating the blow. So extraordinary was the shock of the impact of this overwhelming force that the British were able only to stop it for short periods, but with losses to the attacking hordes that are appalling. The British, having been able to conduct an orderly retirement to a prepared position and to retain their organization and morale, the objective of the Germans, which was to completely sever the enemy's lines, has not been attained.

In this respect this drive does not differ from others made by the Germans on the western front. On their initial thrusts the preponderant weight of numbers has scored temporary gains and forced their opponents to new positions, but they have never yet administered a crushing defeat, annihilated an army or compelled its surrender. They blasted their way close to Paris on the first great drive of the war to be halted at the Marne and driven back. They failed to crush the British army in the Ypres campaigns, as they expected to do, during the rush toward Calais. They forced a long retreat of the Italians in northern Italy, but they were decisively halted before their objective was attained.

If the supreme German offensive effort of Friday-Saturday and yesterday accomplished no more strategic effect than to push the British lines back to new positions, they are doomed to defeat. It will not come soon, as it is not without other, prodigious efforts that the Germans have thus far failed to do on the British front, and possibly with still greater reverses to the Allies. The Germans have gained the advantage of having taken the initiative, but they cannot continue their drive except with constantly diminishing intensity, hence the Allies can, to a certain extent, choose their own time and place for striking an offensive blow just as has been done when previous drives have been halted or turned into retreats.

What may be the plan of the Allies in meeting the situation is not being divulged, but we must know that the American troops, now holding an important sector, will sooner or later have a more active part in what promises to be the decisive battle of the war. If indeed, they are not already engaged in it. We must also come to a realization that unless the Allies are able to do no more than check and drive the Germans back, without administering a severe defeat to them, the war must continue for several years and that eventually the burden of it will fall upon the United States.

We have supreme confidence that the men we have on the field, to the extent their numbers will permit, will do all that is humanly possible to turn the tide and hold the enemy at bay until we do have sufficient strength and force over there to make the difference between one of doubt or uncertainty, meantime we must wait with the same calm courage our boys are showing. They are sure to have some of the costs of war, with equal devotion to country and the same we expect to most work, give and sacrifice as we have never worked, given or sacrificed before in order that our nation may bear well the impact

ant part it will be obliged to take before the war is won.
This is our lesson of the Big Drive—a lesson we must learn today, not tomorrow or next month or next year.

THE CURB MARKET.

The curb market, as explained at the recent meeting of the farmers and men of the city, is a very simple proposition. In general it merely consists in providing a place where the growers of farm products and consumers may be brought together at certain hours on certain days of the week, the former to supply and the latter to procure freshly gathered home-grown vegetables.

An orderly arrangement of the market is, of course, necessary, as well as facilities for a proper display of products. Where these markets have been established a vacant lot near the business section of the town has been laid off by walks into sections which provided places where the farmers park their wagons or automobiles. Counters are arranged along these walks upon which the goods are displayed to afford buyers an opportunity to make an inspection before buying.

A few simple rules apply to the conduct of the market, otherwise it is largely self-regulating. No attempt is made to fix prices, although the general understanding when a market is established is that the prices should be somewhat lower than those asked at the retail stores, or from wagons making deliveries direct to consumers. Without such differences in prices there would be little incentive for consumers to patronize the market in preference to the stores. It would also be unfair to the merchants who have a heavy overhead expense to meet as compared with practically no expense on part of the farmers trading through the market.

The advantages to the farmer are chiefly that he makes quick sale of his produce for cash and can return to his farm work after a few hours instead of having to spend the greater part of the day in a house-to-house distribution of his wares. The consumer has an opportunity to secure fresh vegetables at first-hand, with a larger stock and variety to select from than when depending upon a single source for their supply. To the community the benefits arising from a market system will probably be less in the matter of reducing prices than in other directions, chief of which will be to foster the expansion and development of market gardening as an industry. Connelville, just as all other towns of equal size or smaller, is dependent during the green goods season upon the growers located at remote points. Even with the best of transportation service it is impossible for produce to be placed in the hands of consumers in anything like as fresh condition as would be procurable at a local market supplied from the farms and gardens near the city.

Considered from the several viewpoints of the farmer, the consumer and the community, there is every argument in favor of the market proposition. The farmers have signified their willingness to make its establishment possible through selling their products in the market, and the business men have placed themselves on record by having assisted in inaugurating the movement. Its final success will depend upon the people of the city themselves, their patronage, interest and support being essential and necessary.

Keep up your courage, The Big Drive will yet end in a Big Smash, but not in the Allies.

The city farmers will have every chance they want to get into the spring market class before the farming season is over.

Hindenburg evidently wishes to end it as soon as possible by having the Allies kill off all the Germans.

The present is the first battle the Kaiser has been in command and it promises to be his last.

We are disappointed, but not downhearted.

One Sample of Democratic Economy.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 24.—The printing bill of the Creel Bureau costs the government \$1,500 a day, and this is only a part of the expense of that bureau's institution, of alleged publicity. Mr. Creel has charge of dispensing all the information which the government desires to give to waiting world, and it can be said without fear of contradiction that he has filled more waste baskets than any living man.

David T. Inquirer and all other newspapers receive a budget of delayed information and copies of photographs, useless because already published, and these are discarded. It is hard to understand what good purpose is served by this bureau, except to furnish large salaries to a lot of needy writers who collect news which is not news and prepare "specials" which are not printed. It is harder to understand why an administration which is preaching economy should maintain such an expensive establishment which serves no useful purpose.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

THE MAKING OF A FRIEND.

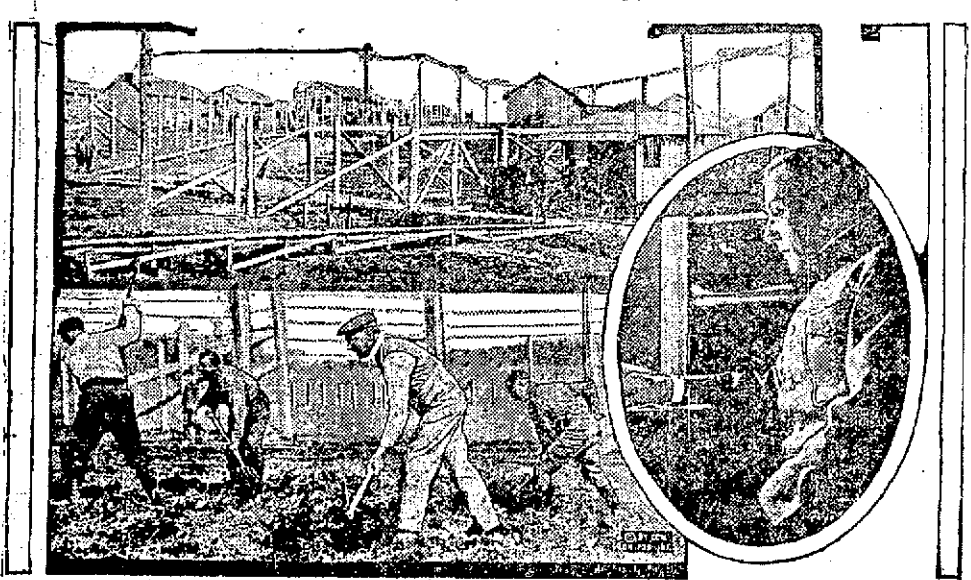
We needed as we passed each day,
And smiled and went along our way,
I knew his name, and he knew mine,
But neither of us made a sign
That we possessed a common tie,
We barely spoke as we passed by.

How long he was I never guessed,
The splendid soul within his breast
I never saw. From me he hid
His gentle ways I didn't know.
Or to claim him long ago.

Then trouble came to me one day
And he was first to come and say
The cheerful words I longed to hear
He offered help, and standing near
I felt our lives in sorrow blend,
My neighbor had become my friend.

How many winters from that day to day
I've missed along my narrow way,
How many kindly words I've lost,
How many times his hand I've missed.
This glorious friend that now I know,
Would have been friendly years ago.

The bud but very little shows
To tell the beauty of the rose,
And him we greet in passing by
With scarce a nod, the day we sigh
May blossom as the years descend
With all the beauty of a friend.

ENEMY ALIENS INTERNED AT FORT OGLETHORPE
ARE VERY BUSY MAKING THEIR SPRING GARDENS

Here are some of the wealthy enemy aliens interned at the United States prison camp No. 2 at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., digging up the ground within their barred wire limits for a spring garden. Also a view of the camp is given. The portrait is of Captain Philip Yost, U. S. A., adjutant of the camp.

Looking Backward

News of the Past Continued from the First of The Courier.

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1918.

Coke is selling at 51 per ton. Ninety cents is predicted.

Harry Dunn left this morning for Allegheny College, Meadville, to complete his studies.

The partnership of H. and J. Kuria has been dissolved and George B. Freed is taking over the new firm which will be known as Kuria and Freed.

Miss Maggie Evans and Joseph Edward are married at the residence of the bride on the Pinnacle by Rev. W. Baker of the Methodist Episcopal church.

A violent mountain storm visits Connelville. Many houses are damaged. The spire on the Catholic church is torn loose.

Rev. R. C. Morgan enters on his 13th year as the pastor of the Baptist church.

While unloading some oats at Bessemer Coke Works, Dr. Cole of Scottsdale finds a \$20 bill in one of the bags.

The Central District and Printing Telegraph Company (the Bell) is perfecting arrangements to extend service to Connelville by way of the Southwest Pennsylvania railroad.

Prof. J. S. Johnston, former superintendent of the Allegheny county schools and brother of Mrs. L. C. Johnston of Connelville, dies at his home in Bradock.

W. S. Strickler, 58 years old, formerly of Lower Tyrone township dies in Pittsburgh.

Ada, the five year old daughter of John Pringle of Springfield township, is burned to death when clothes ignite before a fire.

James O'Brien of Mount Vernon arrives at Connelville by train at 10:30 a. m. and leaves for Scottsdale and lower his foot.

The Citizens Brass Band of Vanderburg organized with Andrew Laughrey, president, and Secretary, and Bert Moore treasurer. Other members are, Harry Rinehart, M. B. Miller, C. F. Gwehn, H. E. Berryhill, Frank Tarr, Harry Hill, R. E. McLaughlin, A. C. Brown, M. Alter, C. H. Sisley.

The foundations of the new Catholic school and convent at Dunbar are completed. Rev. Father Madaly is the pastor.

The "Flinday fever" is raging at Scottsdale. Several families have emigrated to Flinday, O., and more will leave.

The School Board of Sallick township awards a contract for a new school building to Washington, Pa. district to Karp & Maurer for \$750.

John Hunter is given license to export in the Methodist Episcopal church. He holds his license to preach in the White Corner schoolhouse near Ohioville.

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1918.

Detailed report of the Connelville coke trade for the week ending March 21 shows a total of 13,598 tons in the region of which 13,343 are in blast and 255 tons idle, with a total estimated production of 15,000 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 5,774 cars distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh, 2,873 cars; to points west, 1,429 cars; to points east, 1,472 cars, an increase of 74 cars as compared with the previous week.

Robert Kerns, a Baltimore & Ohio engineer well known here, is on leave for a week from his home at Glenwood. He disappeared after drawing his pay.

Mrs. Harriet Tissue of Gibson commences her journey by drowning herself in the Youghiogheny river.

With only three members to the letter carrier force, Postmaster Clark Collins finds it necessary to petition the postoffice department for an additional man.

Several Fayette county people are among those who think some of the \$50,000,000 fortune, left by Joseph Ball of Philadelphia will come their way. Among them is O. P. Moser, of Connelville.

Frank Zacharias, the dairyman has obtained the exclusive agency in the United States for the Schenck process of purifying water for drinking and manufacturing purposes. This method is adopted in the army of the Kaiser.

Thomas J. Foster, 64 years old, died of pneumonia at his home in Franklin township.

Mrs. Katharine Sleeman, widow of Peter Sleeman died in Sallick township at the age of 75.

Classified Advertisements.

One Cent a Word.
No advertisements for Less Than 15 Cents.
Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements of wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

Wanted—YOUR BARBERING BUSINESS. RENDINGS. 25mar18

Wanted—TWO SECOND HAND show cases. Call 411-W Tri-State. 25mar18

Wanted—CLERK, SINGLE MID-AGED man preferred. Apply HILL HOUSE, Scottsdale, Pa. 25mar18

Wanted—to RENT A SIX ROOM house with conveniences, in good location, South Side preferred. Tri-State 312. 25mar18

Wanted—SEVERAL MEN FOR work in repair shops. 9 hour shift. Apply MASTER MECHANIC, West Penn Railway Co. 25mar18

Wanted—YOUNG LADY, STEEN-GRADUATE, accountant, State examination and salary desired. Address P. A. care Courier. 19mar18

Wanted—AT ONCE EXPERIENCED saleslady, highest wages; steady position. PEOPLES DEPARTMENT STORE, 220 North Pittsburgh street. 25mar18

Wanted—MINERS WANTED WHO are studying for examinations to get the best mining book published, "Mining in a Nutshell," by JAMES WARD-LAW, Scottsdale, Pa. Price \$2.25. 15feb18

Wanted—OLD FALSE TEETH. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2.00 to \$15.00 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. MAZER, 2607 E. Fifth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 6mar18

Wanted—ANY KIND OF PRINTING, whether it is a calling card, sale bill or the finest engraved wedding invitation or announcement. We print anything—everything—do it promptly and do it right. Call the man at THE COURIER office. Both phones. 27-44

Wanted—CORN 45 cents a bushel; patent flour \$5.50 a barrel; brooms 12 to 35 cents.

THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1918.
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President Thomas Lynch of the H. C. Frick Coke company, speaks for three hours to superintendents, foremen and working men in open house in Scottsdale on importance of Safety First.

Burglars break into Boston Candy Kitchen and steal \$75 in cash. J. W. Edmonds and Miss Emma Marglette are married.

Donald Boyd, 16 years old, a son of Benton Boyd, superintendent at Lehigh works is hurt from a fall at that place by West Penn street car. He jumps to his feet laughing.

John Moreland, a Dunbar cowman farmer accidentally shoots himself through the knee.

Mrs. Jennie Ketter, widow of L. L. Ketter, dies at Dunbar.

Edward A. Wattinger shoots and kills his stepfather Dennis M. Weiner at their home near Rockwood and then blows off his own brains. Wattinger had been in an asylum.

Grand trustees of the Knights of Pythias hold session in Connelville. Harry Hanson, for seven years trainmaster of the Connelville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad resigns to go to Nevada and is succeeded by O. L. Eakin, who has been assistant trainmaster at Pittsburgh.

Thomas J. Foster, 64 years old, died of pneumonia at his home in Franklin township.

Mrs. Katharine Sleeman, widow of Peter Sleeman died in Sallick township at the age of 75.

The Trinity Lutheran Church is scene of wedding of Christian C. Welby and Miss Marie E. Johnson. Robert J. Ross and Miss Libbie L. Brown are married at the same place.

Miss Ida Kidder and Charles Borg are married at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage by Rev. J. B. Risk.

Mrs. Mary E. Waggoner and James McNeill are married by the Rev. J. B. Risk.

W. D. McGinnis and W. E. Brown, principal and vice-principal of the New Haven schools and A. C. Hagan and E. G. Crow of Uniontown, Pa. are married at the institute at Normalville.

Marrriage licenses are issued in Uniontown as follows: Jasper N. Patterson, Dunbar and Miss Margaret Christ of Vanderburg; David S. Miller of Ohio and Miss Longetta Stevitz of Chambersburg; Solomon Schreier and Susan Hough of Layton; David Abraham Perez and Bertha Peters of Gibson; James J. Kuhns and Belle Miller of Indian Head; William Handford and Emma Williams of Gibson; George W. Frey and Eva Weiner of Dunbar township.

Retail prices in Connelville run as follows: Butter 25 cents; eggs, 18 cents a dozen; ham 11 to 13 cents a pound; lard 10 to 12 cents a pound; maple syrup 35 cents a gallon; potatoes, 30 cents a bushel; sugar 10 to 11 cents a pound; wheat 75 to 80 cents a bushel; oats 25 to 28 cents a bushel.

Save Flour---
Eat Oatmeal

Do you know that oatmeal makes delicious puddings and other good things? Of course, you know it is a good breakfast food, but it is even better fixed up for dinner or supper. It makes excellent puddings, wholesome bread and cookies, an appetizing soup for a cold day, a baked dish for dinner in place of meat.

is planned at the Union Supply Company Stores. You must see the many Easter novelties in women's and misses' wear, all the new styles in all the different lines are now in. It is an old custom to have a new outfit for Easter, men and women, misses and children, everybody, wants to wear their best on Easter Sunday. The Union Supply Company is offering wonderful inducements and they will offer many novelties for women and misses that are exclusive, and can only be gotten at our stores. It is to your interest to visit the nearest Union Supply Company store for your Easter shopping.

Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores,
Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

Hooper & Long's
Shoe Store

The Store that insists on fitting their Shoes correctly. Particular people like our Shoes. They're pleased with our style selection and our methods in fitting.

A FAMILY SHOE STORE

with Better Shoes—Better Values—Better Service—for our customers' satisfaction.

Call and see some new Shoes.

HOOOPER & LONG'S

Wanted

CARPENTERS FOR CONCRETE FORM WORK. A. G. McKEE & COMPANY, DUNBAR. FURNACES, DUNBAR.

Wanted

AN EXPERIENCED CLOAK AND SUIT SALESLADY. HIGHEST SALARY PAID. STEADY POSITION. ELPERN'S, 130 NORTH PITTSBURG STREET.

Wanted

YARD CLERKS, TRACK CHECKERS AND CREW CALLERS, P. & L. E. RAILROAD COMPANY, DICKERSON RUN. GOOD SALARY, STEADY EMPLOYMENT, RAPID PROMOTION. APPLY TO C. E. REINHARD, GENERAL YARD MASTER, DICKERSON RUN, PA.

Wanted

MAN AND WIFE TO TAKE CHARGE OF AND RUN A COMPANY BOARDING HOUSE FOR 15 MEN. PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT AT \$75 PER MONTH AND LIVING. CALL KIER FIRE BRICK COMPANY, TAYLOR, PA. BELL PHONE 98 R 31, DAWSON, PA.

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\$4.14 WILL COUNT \$5.00

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CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

IF YOU WANT

Anything, Have Anything for Sale or Rent, Try Our Classified Ads at One Cent a Word. They Bring Results.

NEWS OF THE DAY AT MT. PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

The W. C. T. U. Organizes
Speakers' Bureau to Aid
Prohibition Amendment.

FOUR MINUTE TALKS PLANNED

Will be Given at All Women's Meetings, Men's Clubs, Lodges and at the Movies; Persons Having Books for the Soldiers Are Asked to Donate.

Special to The Courier.

MT. PLEASANT, March 25.—The W. C. T. U. held an executive meeting on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. F. L. Marsh and organized a speakers' bureau. It has secured some of the most capable men and women of the town to make four and five minute speeches to all women's organizations, men's clubs, lodges and at the movies to create sentiment for the ratification of the prohibition amendment. Mrs. George W. Stoner, chairman of the county W. C. T. U. bureau is also chairman of the local bureau.

Hospital Aid Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the hospital aid society will be held at the hospital March 26th at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Tammill.

Mrs. Mary Tammill, aged 77 years, died at the home of her son-in-law, Thomas Farrell, at Calumet on Saturday. Requiem high mass was held this morning at the Calumet church and the interment followed at the St. John's cemetery in Scottsdale.

Books Needed.

Those persons having books that they wish to give to the soldiers and sailors overseas and in the camps, may leave the same at East End pharmacy, Rumbaugh's Drug store and the National Pharmacy on the corner of Church and Main streets. Books left at any of these places will be given the proper attention.

Boys in Trouble.

One of a number of boys between the ages of 14 and 18 years old caught on Saturday evening when they were engaged in a drunken carousal on Main and Church streets and was fined \$5. The others will be arrested and brought up before the court.

The man who has bought the drink for the boys will be turned over to the county authorities if enough evidence can be gathered against him.

Son is Born.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Arkin are the proud parents of a son born at the Memorial hospital on Saturday.

Personal.

Mrs. Harold Abraham of Uniontown is the guest of friends here.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, March 23.—The West Penn has a force of carpenters at work at the end of the street car line at Dickerson Run erecting a new set of steps leading from the end of the line coming out just at the end of the new extension of Dawson-Dickerson Run bridge.

Mrs. Thomas St. John spent yesterday visiting her daughter Mrs. Bert Ware of Second avenue, Scottsdale.

Dr. and Mrs. George B. Marshall of Normalville are spending a week here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lint.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get
at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the scientific laxative, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who use them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which doctors cannot do without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening, griping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowels and liver complaints, with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely vegetable compound, mixed with olive oil, you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"UNDER SUSPICION."—Metro production in which Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne are seen in the leading roles, is being presented today. One of the noteworthy features of this entertaining photoplay is a charity ball, the staging for which was one of the largest and most elaborate interior settings ever created by Metro. It was built at the new York studio. Over one hundred couples in evening clothes danced in this fashionable scene. It is at this charity ball that the great Woolworth diamond robbery was committed. Mr. Bushman as Gerry Simpson, a millionaire who has remained heart-whole in spite of the efforts of fortune-hunting parents and their attractive daughters. He finally meets a girl he has never seen before. She is Virginia Blake, a reporter on the Sentinel. He meets the girl at a musicale, where a robbery was committed. The story is intensely interesting and affords Mr. Bushman and Miss Bayne an excellent opportunity to display their dramatic abilities. A comedy is also being shown. Tomorrow "Texas Guinan" will be seen in "The Gunman," a Triangle feature. Wednesday Franklyn Farnum will be starred in "The Rough Rider," a five part Bluebird production. Kitty Gordon, the famous actress will appear on Thursday in "The Wasp," a World attraction of exceptional interest. On Friday and Saturday Clara Kimball Young will be presented in "Shirley Kaye," a tense story of American life with a genuine live story which appeals to all.

THE ARCADE.

"ALL GIRL REVUE." Beauty, youth, ability and talent will vie with each other for first honors at the Arcade, this week, it being the occasion of the visit of Zeb Evans' All Girl Revue with nine comely maidens in the line supporting Ruby Davis, the blonde coquette and Charles H. Davis, the wizard of joy. They will be assisted by Oliver Knight, acrobatic dancer, Billy McCoy, blackface comedian, John Rapier, and Dolly McDonald, the big bundle of animation, who is some singer and dancer. He song numbers in "The Diamond Palace," the bill for today and tomorrow includes, "Give Me the Moonlight, Give Me the Girl" by Miss Marion Grey; "The Story Book Ball" by Miss Davis, the wonderful girl who song shouter; "Some One May Be There While I Am Gone" Miss McDonald; an original song and dance by Oliver Knight; "Is It Within the Law," with original terpsichorean creations, by Charles and Ruby Davis, Zeb's dancing owl will be seen Wednesday and Thursday when Billy McCoy will be featured in blackface in his own show, "Over the Phone." He will be supported by John Rapier, the elongated individual who played the Prince in "Daddy Land's My Wife's Husband" show, at this house a show time ago. On the screen will be Charlie Chaplin and Fatty Arbuckle in "The Champion." Charlie Chaplin has not been seen in Connellsville for some time owing to the exorbitant rental for the films. This picture was made when he was at his best, before his posing days, and the cast besides atty Arbuckle, contains several other famous stars. These old pictures are said to be a great deal funnier than his late releases.

THE SOISSON.

Broadway successes of the present and past, plays that you know, acted by capable players and enhanced by beautiful and appropriate settings, embraces the policy that has placed the Jack Ball Stock Company upon a high pinnacle of popularity. If you want to see a dollar and a half show, with high class vaudeville between the acts. Take a journey to the Soisson, and enjoy "Down in Maine," now playing. The specialties between the acts are well worth the price of admission. The Jack Ball Stock Company is a large one and carries an endless outlay of scenery, stage effects and wardrobe. Mr. Ball is appearing this week in his famous Negro preacher act. The act will be remembered as having played the Davis theater, Pittsburgh, on several occasions. In fact it used to be an annual event. At the opening of the Harris theater in Pittsburgh, the late Mr. Robbins journeyed over to see Mr. Ball do this act. This was the only time the act was ever in Pittsburgh at another house. "Down in Maine" has one of those old "Home Spun" stories and with not only a heart throb, but plenty of comedy. Keep your eye on Percy Malinee daily, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. "Girl of His Dreams."

VINOL MADE THIS NURSE STRONG

Nothing Like it for Run-down
and Nervous People

Von Ormy, Texas.—"I suffered from a general run-down condition—anaemia, loss of appetite and cough, so I was unfit for my work. I tried different medicines without help, and through my druggist learned of Vinol. I took it; my appetite increased, my cough disappeared, I gained in weight and I am now well and strong, so I can conscientiously endorse Vinol."—Viola Salada, R. N., Von Ormy, Tex.

We guarantee Vinol to build up run-down, anaemic folks or return your money. We take all the risk.

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"NAN OF MUSIC MOUNTAIN." In his newest Paramount picture "Nan of Music Mountain," which is to be shown today, Wallace Reid plays the part of Henry De Spain, a young westerner. The story deals with his adventures in a cleaning up a gang of outlaws and thieves, and incidentally, his quest to avenge the murder of his father. There is a very fascinating love story, with the daughter of the worst thief in the gang as his fiancée. The way these two alone, after de Spain has at last won the girl's love, make the "gang" reform, and find a way to commence their lives together without any of the ever-present feuds or robberies, makes a vivid and unusual photoplay.

William S. Hart appears in the Triangle drama "An Apostle of Vengeance," Wednesday, George Walsh in "Jack Spurluck-Prodigal."

Ohiopyle.

OHIO PYLE, March 25.—Mrs. Herbert Morris and children of Pittsburgh arrived here Friday and will spend a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Mrs. Baggs and son of Pittsburgh arrived here Friday and will spend the summer in their cottage at Bell Grove.

Oral Jackson and E. S. Jackson were recent visitors in Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hershberger spent Saturday evening shopping in Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rafferty and children of Connellsville spent Sunday here the guests of relatives.

Miss Helen Robinson spent Saturday in Connellsville, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Charles Stark and son of Confluence are the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Holt.

Mrs. Newman Boyd and son spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of relatives at Confluence.

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Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, March 23.—A. B. Kern spent a few days among Connellsville and Uniontown friends.

Miss Jean Illig was calling on friends here today.

Mrs. Rebecca Hawkins from Mill Run spent a day among Connellsville friends and shopping.

W. C. Miller from Rogers Mill was a business caller in Connellsville.

C. S. Pore from Indian Head was transacting business in Connellsville and West Newton.

H. I. Fisher left for Wilkesburg this evening and will spend over Sunday with his family.

J. W. Barger from Indian Head is transacting business in Connellsville and Uniontown today.

Miss Marie Nowell from Mill Run is spending today among Connellsville friends.

G. E. Rowan was a business caller here today.

Forty laborers arrived here today and were taken to Moleroff where the Koppers company are developing coal.

Walter Nicholson and Frank Steindl from Mill Run are Connellsville marketers today.

Ralph Davidson is a business visitor at Bear Run today.

Hiram Connor is spending today among Connellsville friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and children will spend over Sunday among Llorensen friends.

J. H. Easton superintendent for the Onedia Coal company, Indian Head, will spend over Sunday with his family in Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Otto from Jones Mill are spending today among Connellsville friends and shopping.

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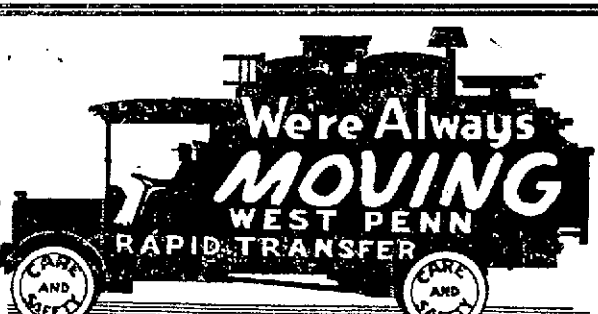
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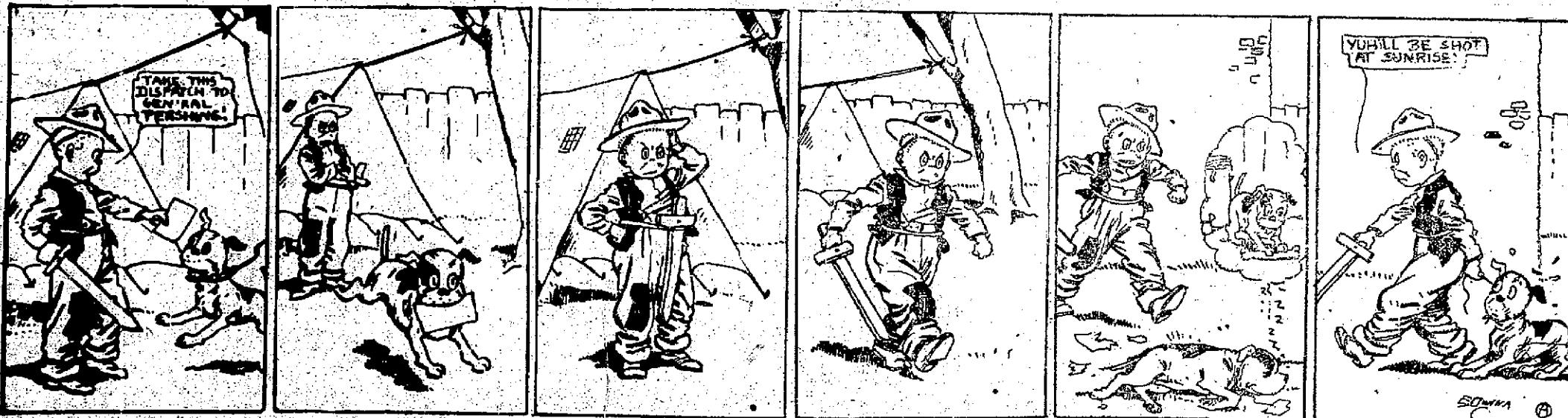
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Sunday may be figured as a workday for the railroads in compensating them for carrying the mails under recent decisions of the Court of Claims in suits which control suits aggregating over \$40,000,000. Thus, unless appeal be taken, is ended in the government's favor a legal battle of several years' duration with practically all of the large railroads of the country, announces the bureau for the defense of suits against the United States.

Congress provides annual compensation for mail transportation to be based upon average daily weight. The quadrannual weighing period of 106 days of actual service upon seven-day roads. The question arises whether daily average means the average for days upon which mail is actually carried, which would be the same thing in the case of the seven-day road, or the daily average figured upon a week of only six workdays; the Sunday mail being considered as carried on Monday, as it would be where no Sunday trains are run. Both the six-day roads and the seven-day roads claimed that Sunday, being a day of rest, should not be figured in to reduce the average daily weight.

They based their claim upon long-continued practice of the Post Office Department, which, they argued, had become crystallized into law and had been given legislative sanction by repeated enactments of Congress on the subject of mail pay, which enactments made a provision to disturb the practice of figuring upon a week of only six days.

The court found that while Congress had frequently considered measures to compel the seven-day basis and had not adopted them, in so failing to adopt them it had not declared in favor of the prevailing six-day basis, as contended by the roads, but had simply left the matter in the discretion of the Postmaster General. The official's order of 1907, requiring the day to be figured upon a week of seven days, was therefore upheld.

It was found that in 1873, when government weighing and the six-day basis began, most mail carriers made trips only on six days a week, whereas in 1907, when the change to the seven-day basis was ordered, the conditions were reversed and six-day service had become the exception because of the rule. That in a way is recognition given to the American road and greater strenuousness in carrying mail.

The decisions turned, however, upon the terms of the contracts sued upon. The Postmaster General having used the seven-day basis in computing the compensation tendered the roads, and the roads having voluntarily performed the service with knowledge of the amount of compensation offered, that basis became a part of their contracts. Two test cases, after a reargument in the Court of Claims and a unanimous decision against the railroads was argued in the Supreme Court by the late John G. Johnson of Philadelphia, for the railroads, and Solicitor General John W. Davis and Assistant Attorney General Huston Thompson for the government in 1912. The high tribunal found a decision so difficult that a reargument was had by the same counsel in 1917, which was one of the last and one of the most prolonged of the Philadelphia lawyer's career. The Supreme Court divided four to four, Justice McReynolds not sitting because of his former connection with the case, and consequently the lower court's decision stood upon the case.

The two test cases covering all the cases involved in the multitude of suits were then selected for the Court of Claims and all plaintiffs were invited to file briefs and present arguments. The argument, covering several days, was followed by unanimous decisions for the government, and separate opinions were written by each of the five members of the court.

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The major league baseball service flag now has 76 stars, 48 for the American and 28 for the National. Hank Gowdy of the Boston Nationals was the first major league to enlist and is now overseas with his regiment. Forty-two of the major leagues chose the army branch of the service, while the navy drew 21. Other branches of the service appealed to 13 of the players. Besides the major leagues hundreds of minor and semipro players from all over the country have enlisted. Baseball is doing its bit.

INTERESTING SPORT PARAGRAPHS

Columbus, O., will hold the Elks 1919 national tennis tournament.

The University of Pittsburgh will hold its annual track meet May 18.

The Tigers must be considered in this year's American league race.

Syracuse university may continue freshman crew rowing this summer.

Baseball players will pack their duds in suitcases instead of trunks this season.

Clark Griffith expects to keep up the good work with his bat and ball fund this season.

The American association will follow the lead of the major leagues in collecting the war tax.

Jesse C. Burkett has signed a two-year contract to coach Holy Cross college baseball candidates.

John Paul Jones, one of the Glenshaw young hunters, who was to get a trial this year, has enlisted in the navy.

Al Delmont, one time prominent as a lightweight, has been chosen boxing instructor at Phillips Andover academy.

Jim Duncan, holder of the world's discus record, is a first sergeant of the Seventh engineers now on duty in France.

During his five years with the St. Louis Browns, Derrill Pratt, the Yankees' new second baseman, missed but one game.

Georgetown university football eleven has secured Carlisle Indians as a Thanksgiving day attraction for Washington, D. C.

Chick Garbitt, Sox first sacker, is safe from the draft for some time. Chick being married and having a bum knee, was placed in class 5.

Yale's crews lost the athletic association during the year ending 1914 the sum of \$23,974.75. In the fiscal year 1915-16 the cost was \$25,881.00.

After a year's absence as advisory coach at Yale university, Michael P. Sweeney, of Hill school, Pittsford, has again resumed the coaching of the track candidates at the important Pennsylvania prep school.

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Shadow lace proves the best of assets when the time comes to design camisoles. It is wide enough to make the body of the camisole and the pointed or scalloped edge provides for graceful shape. Camisoles are made of it by adding a band of ribbon, or wide heading to the straight edge for the waistline, and banding the lace with narrow ribbon stitched on. Where the lace has large points, two of them at the front and two at the back form "V"-shaped lines here and under the arms, that are graceful. Ribbons, attached to these scallops or points are extended into shoulder straps.

In princess slips the bodice is often cut in the shape described above and finished with a narrow hem. Below the hem Valenciennes lace insertion is let in. Narrow skirts set onto the bodice with a narrow belt have a series of tucks edged with val lace running about them. They are usually made of flesh-colored crepe de chine. White batiste remains a favorite for petticoats, and nothing supplants small rucks and fine narrow laces for trimming them. In the regard of refined women. But all petticoats must be made to conform to the slender silhouette; lines must be straight.

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CHAPTER III.

"The O'Reillys."

Age and easy living had caused Don Mario de Castano, the sugar merchant, to take on weight. He had, in truth, become so fat that he waddled like a penguin when he walked; and when he rode, the springs of his French victoria gave up in despair.

In disposition Don Mario was practical and unromantic; he boasted that he had never had an illusion, never an interest outside of his business. And yet, on the day this story opens, this prosaic personage, in spite of his bulging waistband and his stout neckband, in spite of his short breath and his heavily bearded face, was in a very whirl of pleasurable excitement. Don Mario, in fact, suffered the greatest of all illusions: he was in love, and he believed himself beloved. The object of his adoration was little Rosa Varona, the daughter of his one-time friend Esteban. To be sure, he had met Rosa only twelve times since her return from her Yankee school, but twice had been enough; with prompt decision he had resolved to do her the honor of making her his wife.

Notwithstanding the rituals of perspiration that were coursing down every fold of his flesh, and regardless of the fact that the body of his victoria was tipped at a drunken angle, as if struggling to escape the burdens of his great weight, Don Mario felt a jauntyness of body and of spirit almost like that of youth. He saw himself as a splendid prince riding toward the humble home of some obscure maiden



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whom he had gradually chosen to be his mate.

His arrival there Donna Isabel into a flutter; the woman could scarcely contain her curiosity when she came to meet him, for he was not the sort of man to inconvenience himself by mere social visits. Their first formal greetings over, Don Mario surveyed the bare living room and remarked, laconically:

"I see many changes here."

"No doubt," the widow agreed. "Times have been hard since poor Esteban's death."

"What a terrible calamity that was! I shudder when I think of it," said he. "A shocking affair, truly! And one I shall never get out of my mind."

"Shocking, yes. But what do you think of such men like Esteban, who would leave his family destitute? Who would die without revealing the place where he had stored his treasure?"

Donna Isabel, it was plain, felt her wrongs keenly; she spoke with as much spirit as if her husband had permitted himself to be killed purely out of spite toward her.

"As if it were not enough to lose that treasure," the widow continued, sternly, "the government must free all our slaves. Yes! Yes! And now that there is no longer a profit in sugar plantations."

"No profit in sugar? What are you saying?" queried the caller. "If your crops do not pay, then Pancho Coto is cheating you. Get rid of him. But I don't come here to talk about Esteban's hidden treasure, for his plantation, nor Pancho Coto. I came here to talk about your step-daughter, Rosa."

"So?" Donna Isabel looked up quickly.

"She interests me. She is more beautiful than the stars. Don Mario rolled his eyes toward the high ceiling, which, like the sky, was tiled a vivid coral-blue.

"She is now eighteen," the fat caller went on, ecstatically, "and so altogether charming. But why waste time in pretty speeches? I have decided to marry her."

"Rosa has a will of her own," guardedly remarked the stepmother.

Don Mario broke out, excitedly. "Nonsense! She has no will. Now let me speak plainly. You know me. I am a person of importance. I am rich enough to afford what I want, and I want you. You understand? Well, then, here are Rosa's guardians and you can send her to your domain."

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might just as well have made the good lady's life totally unbearable."

"Silly! She knows nothing about it." With a flirtatious sigh Rosa added: "This is what you call the affair of the chief pleasure. Since it does not bother her in the least, I think I will not allow you to come any more."

After judicious consideration, O'Reilly pretended to agree.

"There's no fun in wrecking a horrible revenge when your enemy isn't wise to it," he acknowledged. "Since it's your idea to irritate your stepmother, perhaps it would annoy her if I made love directly to her."

Rosa uttered, and then inquired, naively, "Can you make love, senior?"

"Can I? It's the one ability an O'Reilly inherits. Listen to this now."

Reaching forth, he took Rosa's fingers in his. "Wait," he cried as she started. "Pretend that you're Mrs. Varona, your own stepmother, and that this is her displeased hand I'm holding."

"Oh-h!" The girl allowed his grasp to remain. "But Isabel's hand isn't dimpled; it's this and bony. I've felt it on my ears often enough."

"Don't interrupt," he told her. "Isabel, my little darling—"

"Isabel!" exclaimed a voice, and the lovers started guiltily apart. They turned to find Esteban, Rosa's twin brother, staring at them oddly. "Isabel!" he repeated. "What's this?"

"You interrupted our theatricals. I was rehearsing an impassioned proposal to your beloved stepmother."

O'Reilly explained, with a pretense of annoyance.

"Yes, senior O'Reilly believes he can irritate Isabel by laying siege to her. He's a foolish person—"

Rosa's cheeks were faintly flushed and her cool deepness at the amusement in Esteban's eyes. "He makes love wretchedly."

"What little I overheard wasn't bad," Esteban declared; then he took O'Reilly's hand.

Esteban was a handsome boy, straight, slim and manly, and his resemblance to Rosa was startling.

With a look engaging in its frank directness, he said: "Rosa told me about your meetings here and I came to apologize for our stepmother's discourtesy. I'm sorry we can't invite you into our house, but you understand? Rosa and I are not like her; we are quite liberal in our views; we are almost Americans, as you see. I dare say that's what makes Isabel hate Americans so bitterly."

"Wouldn't it please her to know that I'm becoming Cubanized as fast as ever I can?" ventured the caller.

"Oh, she hates Cubans, too!" laughed the brother. "She's Spanish, you know. Well, it's fortunate you don't see her today. Br-r! What a temper! She'll walk in her sleep tonight, if ever."

Rosa nodded soberly, and O'Reilly, suppressing some light reply that had sprung to his lips, inquired, curiously, "What do you mean by that?"

Brother and sister joined in explaining that Donna Isabel was given to peculiar actions, especially after periods of excitement or anger, and that one of her eccentricities had taken the form of somnambulistic wanderings. "Oh, she's crazy enough," Esteban concluded. "I believe it's her evil conscience."

O'Reilly scanned the speaker silently for a moment; then he said, with a gravity unusual in him, "I wonder if you know that you're suspected of working for the insurance cause?"

"Indeed? I didn't know."

"Well, it's a fact," O'Reilly heard Rosa gasp faintly. "Is it true?" he asked.

"I am a Cuban."

"Cuban? Your people were Spanish."

"True. But no Spaniard ever raised a Spanish child in Cuba. We are Cubans, Rosa and I go everywhere, and the Spanish officers talk plainly before me. Somebody must be the eyes and ears for Colonel Lopez."

"Colonel Lopez?" exclaimed O'Reilly. Esteban nodded.

Rosa's face, as she looked at the two men, was white and worried. For a time the three of them sat silent; then the American said, slowly, "You'll be shot if you're caught."

"Some one must run chances," Esteban averred. "We're fighting tyranny; all Cuba is against it, must you not?"

"But sooner or later you'll be discovered—then what?" persisted O'Reilly.

Esteban shrugged. "Who knows? There'll be time enough when—"

"What of Rosa?"

At this question the brother stirred uneasily and dropped his eyes. O'Reilly laid a hand upon his arm. "You have no right to jeopardize her safety. Without you, to whom could she turn?"

The girl flashed her admirer a grateful glance.

"Senior, you for one would see that she—"

"But—I'm going away," O'Reilly felt rather than saw Rosa start, for his face was averted. "I came here to tell you both good-by. I may be gone for some time. I—I don't know when I can get back."

"I'm sorry," Esteban told him, with genuine regret. "We have grown very fond of you. If you will come back before long, all right. You're one of us. In the meantime I'll remember what you say, and at least I'll be careful." By no means wanting to let Esteban rise so briskly and, after shaking hands with O'Reilly, left the two lovers to say farewell as best suited them.

But for once O'Reilly's ready tongue was silent. The laughter was gone from his blue eyes when he turned to the girl at his side.

"You say you are going away?" Rosa inquired, breathlessly. "But why?"

"I'm going partly because of this war and partly because of something else. I tried to tell you yesterday, but I couldn't. When the revolution started everybody thought it was mainly a local uprising, and I wrote my company to that effect; but, bless you, it has spread like fire, and now the whole eastern end of the island is ablaze. Business has stopped, and my employers have ordered me home to find out what's happened to their profits."

"Rosa said there was something else."

O'Reilly's hesitation became an embarrassed silence. He tried to laugh it off.

"There is, otherwise I'd say right here and tell my beautiful friends to whistle for their profits. It seems I'm cursed with a fatal heredity. You may have noticed it? No? Well, perhaps it's a magnificent business ability that

I have. Anyhow, the president of my company has a notion that I'd make him a good son-in-law."

"Oh!" cried Rosa.

"And at her home O'Reilly hurried on: 'Those rich men have the most absurd ideas. I suppose I'll have to—'

"Then you are in love, senior?"

The young man nodded vigorously. "Indeed I am—with the sweetest girl in Cuba. That's the whole trouble. That's why I'm hurrying home to resign before I'm fired." Not daring to look too long or too deeply into Rosa Varona's eyes until she had taken in the whole truth, he waited, staring at his feet. "I'm sort of glad it has come to a show-down and I can speak out. I'm hoping she'll miss me." After a moment he ventured, "Will she—or will you, Rosa?"

"I? Miss you?" Rosa lifted her brows in pretended amazement. "You are amusing, of course, but—I won't have much time to think about you, for I am so soon to be married."

"Married? What? Nonsense!"

"Indeed! Do you think I'm so ugly nobody would have me? The richest man in Matanzas has asked for my hand this very afternoon."

"Who? Mario de Castano?"

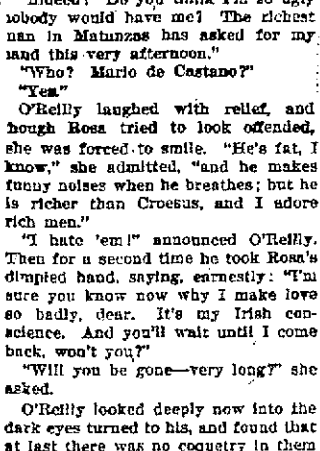
"Yes."

O'Reilly laughed with relief, and though Rosa tried to look offended, she was forced to smile. "He's fat, I know," she admitted, "and he makes funny noises when he breathes; but he is richer than Croesus, and I adore rich men."

"I hate 'em!" announced O'Reilly. Then for a second time he took Rosa's dimpled hand, saying, earnestly: "I'm sure you know now why I make love so badly, don't you? It's my Irish conscience. And you'll wait until I come back, won't you?"

"Will you be gone—very long?" she asked.

O'Reilly looked deeply into the dark eyes turned to his, and found that at last there was no coquetry in them.



"Will You Be Gone—Very Long?" She Asked.

anywhere—nothing but a lonesome, hungry yearning—and with a glad, incoherent exclamation he held out his arms. Rosa Varona crept into them; then with a sigh she turned her lips to his.

"I'll wait forever," she said.

TO BE CONTINUED.

ORE TRAMPILED INTO PUDDLES

Economical, Though Somewhat Primitive Methods Used at Many Mines Throughout Mexico.

It was at Pachuca, Mexico, that the patio system of separating silver had its origin. This system is still followed extensively at the silver mines throughout Mexico. The ore is crushed and worked down to a state of puddle. It is then spread out to a depth of two or three feet over the paved floor of the courtyard, or patio. To this mass sulphate of copper is added in powder, about fifteen pounds of sulphate to three thousand pounds of puddle. This is trodden into the puddle by horses. Several gangs of old, worn-out horses or mules, about twelve in a gang, are seen in various parts of the patio, being driven round in circles to tread in the sulphate.

On the next day six per cent. of common salt is added and in two more days one hundred per cent. of pure quicksilver, or as much as the assay of the ore shows is required. This mass is then trodden up by horses for fifteen days. It is then wheeled to a large tank through which passes a rapid stream of water. This washes away the clay, leaving the silver and quicksilver. This residuum is poured into cone-shaped canvas bags through which most of the quicksilver runs out, and what remains with the silver is passed off with the vapor by means of heated retorts. None of the quicksilver is lost, and even the vapor is brought by cold water to its original state and used again and again. The quicksilver soon robs the hoots of the horses and the mules, but the Mexicans themselves do not seem to be much the worse for it even though they wade around in the puddle for days at a time.—Harper's Weekly.

Sure of a Job.

It was a new kind of recommendation for a servant, but very effective. The old employer said nothing about her accomplishments as cook, waitress, landlady or chambermaid. What she wrote was:

"She is as strong as a man and twice as brave. Three times while in our employ she captured burglars single-handed, and held them until the police arrived, and saved hundreds of dollars' worth of silver and jewelry."

All the manager of the employment agency had to do when that girl needed a situation was to read that letter out loud and there ensued a wild scramble among his customers for the strong-armed maid.

The Kitchen Cabinet

There's a voice in the breeze, there's a sign in the sun
That whispers of winter's farewell;
There's a mist over the lake, there's a call of the bird
There's the echoing tones of a bell.

VARIOUS SAUCES.

An appropriate sauce is a most valuable accompaniment to any meat or croquette, adding just the touch of seasoning which the dish needs to make it tasty.

Hollandaise Sauce.—This is good with fish and various meats. Take four tablespoons of fresh horseradish which has been grated and standing in vinegar. Add salt, a dash of cayenne and four tablespoons of whipped cream.

Sauce for Croquettes or Cakes.—Melt a tablespoonful of butter, add a half cupful of stock and the same amount of milk, mix this with the flour, stir until well cooked, add a beaten egg yolk, a half teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper, strain and it will be ready to use. Do not beat after the egg is added.

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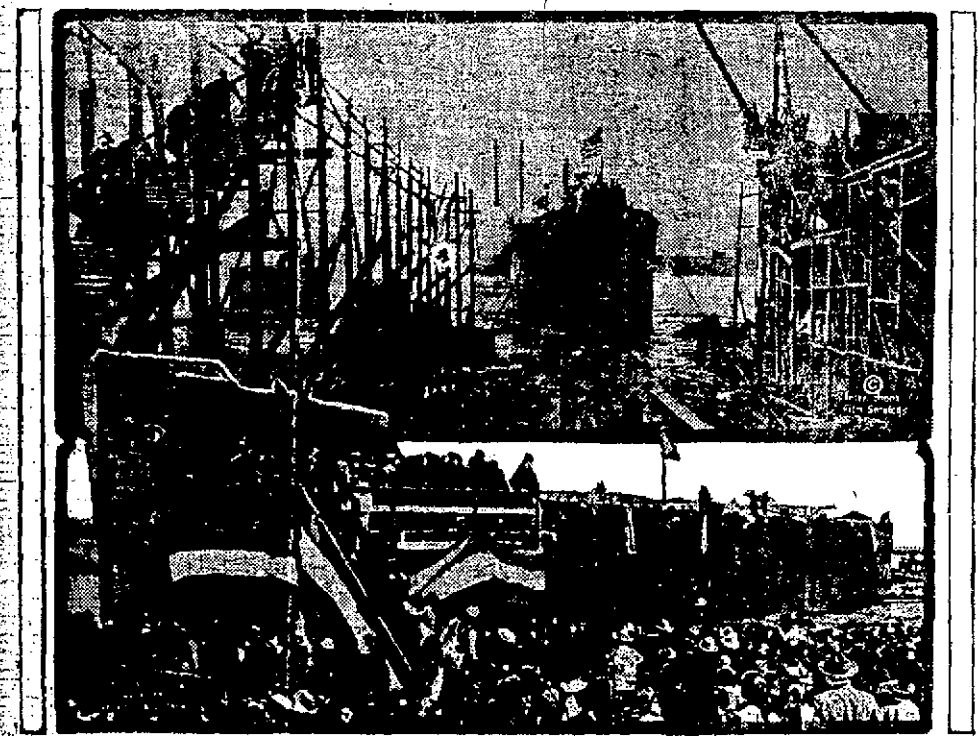
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LAUNCHING MERCHANT VESSELS ON BOTH THE ATLANTIC AND THE PACIFIC COASTS



Above is the Coyote gliding down the ways at the Passaic river shipyards. She is the first of the cargo steamers building under the Emergency Fleet corporation's wooden ship program. Below is the launching of the Yash, largest concrete ship in the world, at Redwood City, Cal. She is 320 feet long and her gross burden is 7,900 tons.

AMERICANIZATION OF ALIENS IS OBJECT OF COMING CONFERENCE

Of Governors, Industrial Corporation Presidents and Others.

DEVISE CONCERTED PLAN

As a Measure to Counteract Anti-American Propaganda Among Immigrant Aliens Who Are Easy Prey for Unscrupulous Enemy Plotters.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The Secretary of the Interior has issued invitations to the governors of the states, to the chairmen of the state defense councils and to about three hundred presidents of corporations and chambers of commerce and other industrial leaders to meet with him April 3, in Washington, for the purpose of considering the national plan of Americanization projected by the Department of the Interior.

The object of this meeting is to reach an agreement upon ways and means of putting the plan into operation through the instrumentality of the state governments and industrial establishments. The federal legislative program will be fully discussed with the representatives present. This program calls for an appropriation to be made to the United States Bureau of Education for the purpose of rendering financial aid and other assistance to the states joining in a concerted plan to Americanize the many millions of foreign birth who are engaged in the many industrial and commercial activities of the country.

The Department of the Interior has recently entered into a joint arrangement with the Council of National Defense whereby the national plan of Americanization is put into effect all over the United States through the medium of the 48 state defense councils and a great number of county and local committees on defense. English, the language of the United States, is the slogan adopted under this plan.

Americanization is to be dealt with as a measure of war for the purpose of counteracting the anti-American propaganda among aliens, a large proportion of which is being carried on insidiously within industrial plants. The entire plan will be submitted to the industrial men present and will cover not only this feature, but others involving the human side of industry.

The war aspects of Americanization have impressed themselves upon the government very forcibly since the United States entered the great conflict. It has been found that 1,275,000 aliens were registered under the selective draft law. Many of these have been accepted for military service on account of inability to speak English and illiteracy are unable to understand military orders in English and therefore make training exceedingly difficult in the cantonments.

There is grain elevators alone have increased four hundred per cent since the United States entered the war. Fires and explosions, willful damage of machinery, hampering the production of war materials and other impediments to the government's activities have frequently been traced to aliens. Their ignorance of English makes them easy prey for German propagandists and plotters, who are stirring up industrial difficulties and misunderstandings in various sections of the country. The department has observed how many other friendly aliens have been made enemies of the enemy.

The department's investigations, through the Bureau of Education, show that five million persons of foreign birth do not speak the English language, while three million realize that they are not Americans and owe no allegiance of loyalty and support to the United States. As head of the department, under whose supervision the internal affairs of the country are conducted, the secretary of the interior is

taking steps to safeguard our nationality and further to insure a unified people back of the fighting line.

WHAT OUR SOLDIERS ABROAD SHOULD KNOW ABOUT TUBERCULOSIS

To Avoid Contracting It They Should Understand the Disease and the Means of Prevention.

"Should the American soldier in France greatly fear contracting tuberculosis after what has been said of the frequency of the disease among French soldiers and the French civilian population?" is the question asked by Dr. S. Adolphus Knapp in "The Journal of the Outdoor Life" under the title "What the American Soldier Now Fighting in France Should Know About Tuberculosis."

Pointing out the dangers of the French environment he says that even before the war the death rate from tuberculosis in France was twice as high as, for example in New York City. This, he declares, is due both to the lack of adequate anti-tuberculosis work in that country and to the weight of French tradition which is adverse to the use of cold water and fresh cold air. These conditions were accentuated by the hardships of the war. Hasty mobilization made thorough medical examination of troops impossible. The privations and exposure of trench life, invasion and deportation further developed and spread the disease.

"Fortunately for the American soldier," he goes on, "his early training in the love of fresh air and the use of cold water on his body have made him naturally more resistant to the disease and to the honor of our military surgeons it must be said that the examinations at the recruiting office are most thorough, so as to weed out those who are strongly afflicted with the disease in the incipient stage. The examination is repeated after a few months' training so as to make sure that no tuberculous invalid is in active service."

He admits, however, the grave danger to our soldiers from this disease under the conditions of trench life. To avoid this, he points out, the soldier should understand the nature of the disease and be thoroughly informed as to measures of prevention.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, March 23.—Charles Huhn, a B. & O. engineer has sold his residence on Railroad street to John Davis of Pittsburgh, also a B. & O. engineer, and bought Mrs. Elizabeth Huhn's property on Liberty street and will move into it the 1st of April. Mrs. Huhn will make her home in Pittsburgh with a daughter. She will have a sale of her household goods Friday, the 29th.

Alphus Clawson has sold his power interest in a house and lot on Jackson street to Charles H. Moody.

Stella Frankenberg, a teacher in the Point Marion schools spent the week-end vacation at her home in the borough.

W. J. Ruble, Jr., of Fairchance was in the borough Friday looking after the business of the Ruble & Hardin Coal company while here he applied for a truck license to be used in hauling coal from their mine here to the railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Friedman of West Leisenburg were borough visitors Saturday.

J. W. Weaver and daughters Lillian and Marie were Uniontown visitors Saturday.

Samuel G. Moser of Anderson Cross Roads was a borough business visitor Saturday.

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Connellsville Patient Speaks.

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(Signed) J. N. PATTERSON.

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